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### UNION MEETS JANUARY 29

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#### Four Thousand In B.C. Auto Smashes

In One Year 1,589 Were Injured and 78 Were Killed; Drivers Between the Ages of 21 Years and 25 Lead Accident Groups

In one year 4,324 British Columbia automobile drivers were involved in accidents which caused property damage amounting to \$125,264. It was reported in a statement of the provincial police presented to Attorney-General Gordon Sloan. The number of persons injured was 1,589, and seventy-eight were killed. The totals, which cover last year, are lower than the previous year.

Of the accidents reported, 2,042 took place between motor vehicles, 566 between motor vehicles and pedestrians, 102 between motor vehicles and a fixed object, ninety-six between motor vehicles and bicycles, ninety-five between motor vehicles and street cars, forty-one between motor vehicles and motorcycle, seventeen between motor vehicles and horse-drawn vehicles, thirteen between motor vehicles and

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**ELECTION PLANS**

While the meeting is primarily for the purpose of discussing organization in view of the possibility of a general election next year, it seems probable that matters of policy and of the Liberal attitude on questions of the day will also come up.

The sessions are being held in camera.

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Joseph Devlin, Nationalist, retained his seat without difficulty in the Central Belfast district.

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The whole of Australia was incensed at the ruthless murder of the young policeman, but so far no one has gone

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In a debate in the House of Lords yesterday he said: "We are making ourselves the laughing stock of the civilized world" by barring sweeps in Britain at the same time the people send enormous sums annually to the Irish sweepstakes. The picture above was taken when the Duke made his first appearance at the Bow Street Police court in London in connection with the charge against him.

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Applications are on file to bring in as much as 12,000,000 gallons. Other things being equal, the quotas will be based on the 1910-1914 average of liquor exports to this country, it appears, on the basis of decisions made to-day by the executive commercial policy committee.

**FOR FOUR MONTHS**

The 4,000,000 gallons to be allowed entry in the next two months are expected to constitute roughly a four months' supply of importations.

The decision to permit this quantity to be landed was reached after it was concluded there were insufficient quantities of domestic liquors available for the period covered.

Meanwhile, the importers met with the President's committee for a final agreement on their code and marketing. Officials said allocations of liquors to be imported under the code and marketing agreement would not be announced yet, because the State Department is carrying on negotiations with various liquor and wine exporting countries for favorable trade pacts.

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To-day and to-morrow belong to the family and intimate friends gathered at the home close to McGill University, which Sir Arthur had served devotedly as principal since 1920.

On Monday citizens will have an opportunity to pass by the bier on which the body, clad in a general's uniform, will lie in state in Christ Church Anglican Cathedral. Sentries in pre-war uniforms will stand at the four corners of the coffin.

Tuesday the body will be laid to rest in a cemetery on the slope of Mount Royal, after two distinct funeral services in which, first, the country's leaders and McGill University, and second, the military, the army which he led to victory in 1918 will say farewell to its former commander-in-chief.

**SALUTE WILL BE FIRED**

A general salute of seventeen guns will boom through the city Tuesday afternoon as the cortege proceeds from the McGill campus to the cemetery where the military funeral will be held.

At 11:45 a.m. the state and university service will be held in Christ Church Cathedral, conducted by Right Rev. John C. Farthing, Bishop of Montreal, and Very Rev. Arthur Carlisle, Dean of the diocese.

**MESSAGE FROM KING**

Sir Arthur Currie's death yesterday at the comparatively early age of fifty-seven years—he would have been fifty-eight next Tuesday—called forth a spontaneous demonstration of esteem and affection such as this country has rarely seen.

Lady Currie received two messages from the Governor-General yesterday, one on behalf of King George and the other a personal one from the Earl of Bessborough, expressing condolences.

Lord Bessborough sent the following message to Lady Currie on behalf of King George:

"I am commanded by His Majesty the King to convey to yourself and the (Turn to Page 2, Col. 6)

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When Mr. Bennett was forming his present administration the name of Mr. Matthews was widely mentioned for the finance portfolio. He is chairman of the House of Commons committee on banking and commerce.

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If the pact ever gets right of way from the monetary, NRA and liquor fight ahead despite President Roosevelt's strong stand for ratification. A two-thirds majority will be necessary to ratify.

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Although the fire was under control early this afternoon, the fire department remained to watch the smouldering coal. Chief danger during the fire was directed at a 2 1/2-ton electric crane of vital importance to the operation of the large gas plant. The crane was saved without damage.

The losses estimated at approximately \$4,000, were confined chiefly to dock timbers and the great pile of coal stored at the wharf.

Firemen, wearing gas masks, fought to reach the heart of the fire, which blazed most fiercely in the dock timbers underneath the wharf. At times the small runway on which the fireman were standing under the wharf threatened to give way as the flames licked at the supports.

**OVERCOME BY SMOKE**

Great billows of coke fumes belched at the fireman, greatly hampering them in their work. Many were partly overcome by the fumes, but after a few minutes' rest returned to their task.

A number of scows loaded with coal were tied up at the wharf when the fire started, but were immediately removed from the danger zone with the aid of a tug.

**OLD PLANT STARTED**

B.C. Electric officials hastened to start the old Keefe Street plant in case the new "user" should be put out of commission. They stated there was a twenty-four-hour supply of gas in containers and that there was no danger of a gas shortage.

The fire started in timbers under the landing wharf which carries the crane and a small mountain of slack coal comprising some 3,500 tons.

**WORKMEN FORCED OUT**

The fire was discovered and the alarm given by Leslie Hough, time-keeper, at 8 a.m. The forty men employed in the producing plant were soon forced out by the heavy smoke near the burning wharf.

Flames soon licked along the outworks of the wharf and stubbornly attacked the great pile of coal which was awaiting transport and eventually conversion into fuel for Vancouver users.

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### Four Premiers At Work Conference

#### DOUKHOBORS SETTLE DOWN

Controversy Over Leadership Cited as Reason For Outrages

The suggestion that all the Doukhobor troubles in British Columbia, including the nude parades, centred around the leadership and arose from an internal controversy among the directorate of the Christian Community of Universal Brotherhood is made in a reference to the subject in the annual report of the Commissioner of the British Columbia Police, Col. J. H. McMullin, which was presented to Attorney-General Sloan to-day.

The report recalls the amendment to the Criminal Code passed in 1932 under which 391 Doukhobor men and women were sentenced to three years' imprisonment for nude parading. It also recalls that during the year four schools were set on fire, five separate attempts made to cause destruction to railway or government property by explosion, four attempts to wreck trains and an attempt to blow up Peter Verigin's home.

"It is significant," says the report, "that Peter Verigin was arrested in Saskatchewan on May 5, 1932, and since (Turn to Page 2, Col. 3)

#### Premier Brownlee of Alberta Will Also Come to Victoria Monday

Dominion Responsibility Subject of Discussion Throughout Canada Now

The movement to have the four western provinces on common ground in the appeal to Ottawa for the use of the national credit so governments may set the initiative in industrial revival gained force this morning with the announcement that Premier Brownlee of Alberta will attend the conference opening in Victoria Monday.

Yesterday it was reported that Premier Brownlee would be unable to attend personally but would send a representative. The wire received by Premier Pattullo to-day indicates that he has changed his plans and his acceptance will complete the representation of the four western provinces, with Premier Pattullo of British Columbia, Premier Bracken of Manitoba and Premier Anderson of Saskatchewan each personally representing their governments.

**SEEK COMMON GROUNDS**

It is the first time on record that four premiers have conferred in Victoria and if, as anticipated, common ground is reached on the plan to substitute work for the relief, which is making a heavy drain on all provinces of Canada considerable strength will (Turn to Page 2, Col. 4)

### Four Thousand In B.C. Auto Smashes

In One Year 1,589 Were Injured and 78 Were Killed; Drivers Between the Ages of 21 Years and 25 Lead Accident Groups

In one year 4,234 British Columbia motorists were involved in automobile accidents, which caused property damage amounting to \$178,564. It was reported in a statement of the provincial police presented to Attorney-General Gordon Sloan. The number of persons injured was 1,589 and seventy-eight were killed. The totals, which cover last year, are lower than the previous year.

Of the accidents reported, 2,042 took place between motor vehicles, 566 between motor vehicles and pedestrians, 102 between motor vehicles and a fixed object, ninety-six between motor vehicles and bicycles, ninety-five between motor vehicles and street cars, forty-one between motor vehicles and motorcycle, seventeen between motor vehicles and horse-drawn vehicles, and thirteen between motor vehicles and (Turn to Page 2, Col. 3)

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## Unexpected Keynote In German Politics

Observers Quite Unable to  
Predict What Nation's  
Foreign Policy Will Be

By Louis F. Lochner, Associated  
Press Foreign Staff

Berlin, Dec. 1.—Nobody in Germany, it is safe to say, knows what the nation's future foreign policy will be. To understand this, it must be remembered that the Nazi movement is a revolutionary one and that therefore ordinary standards cannot be applied to the present regime.

A revolutionary movement does not move in set grooves, but proceeds spontaneously—often impulsively—along lines often least expected.

The sudden withdrawal from the League of Nations and the Disarmament Conference at Geneva surprised even Germany's best friend, Premier Mussolini of Italy. It surprised the entire diplomatic corps in Berlin.

Just as sudden was Chancellor Hitler's momentous decision with the new Polish minister, Joseph Lipski, and the verbal agreement that the issues between the two countries must be settled by negotiations—not by force.

The impression gained previously by foreign observers was that Germany would never give up her claim to the Polish Corridor. It is difficult to see how Poland can be made to yield the Corridor merely as a result of "moral suasion" by the German government.

German foreign policy, while impulsive and erratic due to the revolutionary character of the Nazi movement, may be counted on to be guided by the fundamental need of the Hitler movement to have peace at present.

German foreign policy, though conciliatory, may be expected to be a proud and nationalistic one. The ninety-three per cent endorsement of the Hitler government's demand for equality with other nations, as registered in the November 12 plebiscite, is genuine.

Unless Germany is assured equality, she will not return to the League or to the Disarmament Conference.

### MAN LIVED UNDER ASSUMED NAME

Associated Press  
Los Angeles, Dec. 1.—Frank Keyser, fifty-four, for fifteen years on the "dead or missing" list of United States soldiers of the Great War, died yesterday of a heart attack which came after he had decided to identify himself to government authorities.

Mrs. Luther Simmons, where he had been visiting, told police Keyser had been living under the name of Paul L. King. She said he had revealed his real name to her just recently, and announced his intention of going to San Francisco to re-establish his true identity.

### MAN'S SENTENCE WHITTLED DOWN

Associated Press  
Muskogee, Okla., Dec. 1.—Glen Onstott, charged with possession of forty bottles of homebrew, pleaded guilty in federal court here.

"Ninety days," said Judge Robert L. Williams.

"But," protested Onstott, "it was for my own use. I've been working sixty days," came back the court.

Onstott pleaded his wife was ill and needed him.

"She's awful sick, judge," said Onstott.

"Twenty days," said the judge. And that was final.

**LIQUOR LICENSE NO. 1**  
New York, Dec. 1 (Associated Press)—The Union Club—the one on Fifth Avenue to which a family tree and a million or more dollars are necessary for membership—closed its doors to the public yesterday. The club was organized in 1836.

Chicago, Dec. 1 (Associated Press)—Virtually no crime in Chicago was caused enough for Chief of Detectives William Schoemaker to be thankful. He was able to eat his Thanksgiving dinner in perfect peace, the only crime reported between Wednesday midnight and late Thursday afternoon being a minor holdup.

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### SOVIET DICTATOR AS PALLBEARER



Josef Stalin, right, was paying his personal tribute in memory of Sen Katayama, Japanese Communist leader, at the funeral in Moscow when the above picture was taken. The Soviet Dictator acted as pallbearer, helping to carry the urn containing the ashes of the disciple of Communism who had sought to propagate Lenin's doctrine in Japan.

## British Plan Moves In World Cotton Trade

### STUDY STRAIN ENDS IN TRAGEDY

F. A. Knapp, Native of Van-  
couver, Ends Life at  
Schenectady, N.Y.

Associated Press

Schenectady, N.Y., Dec. 1.—Severe mental strain from overwork was blamed by the youth's father to-day for the Thanksgiving Day suicide of Frederick A. Knapp of Watertown, twenty-year-old Union College junior, born in Vancouver.

Young Knapp shot himself through the heart with a .38 calibre revolver in the presence of a fraternity brother yesterday.

"I'm going to kill myself," he said as he rushed into his room in the Sigma Phi house, where Robert T. Shred was in bed. He fired before Shred could stop him.

Authorities said Knapp had attended a dance the night before and had just returned from escorting a young woman friend to her home.

Knapp attended school at Watertown, where he was widely known as an athlete. He was a nephew of Major Edward Holland, one of the first Canadians to receive the Victoria Cross.

The funeral will be held Saturday, with burial following at Prescott, Ont.

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### STRUCK IN SELF-DEFENCE

Dauphin, Man., Dec. 1 (Canadian Press)—Robert J. Robertson, youthful Ochre River farm hand, yesterday was acquitted by a jury of the murder of George M. Wilde, aged Makinak farmer. Robertson testified he struck Wilde in self-defence when his aged employer attacked him with an axe.

## THINKS HORSE COMING BACK

Foreman of Big Saskatchewan  
Ranch Asserts Pros-  
perity Also Will Return

Canadian Press

Toronto, Dec. 1.—The horse has come into his own and as the horse comes back western Canada will follow. Such is the belief of Arthur Thompson of Saskatoon, foreman for C. M. Bear, prominent Saskatchewan Percheron breeder.

Mr. Thompson can prove the first part of his assertion with money for he brought twelve horses to the Royal Winter Fair here. Five of them he took back west to-day. The rest will go east. A Montreal purchaser took six of the big Saskatchewan-bred greys at \$1,000 apiece. The Quebec Government bought the seventh, the Belgian stallion Caesar de Masterpiece. The total paid for the seven is said to be the biggest sale by any one horse exhibitor at this year's Winter Fair.

"There is more demand for working horses right now than there has been since the Royal Winter Fair began years ago," Mr. Thompson said. "I've shown at every one since the first, and I know what I'm talking about."

Arthur Thompson has more than his experience at this year's fair to support his belief the horse is once more rising superior to the internal combustion engine. "One hundred carloads of horses," he said, "went east out of Alberta and Saskatchewan this fall, all consigned to Quebec. If things once get started with us again, we'll have to come down east inside of two years and start buying them back."

"Things hadn't got started" with the west yet, Mr. Thompson admitted to a questioner. "But they will," he said. "You watch. They will."

The west will come back with the horse, in the prairie horseman's opinion. He quoted more proof: Five years ago the biggest wholesale harness dealers in Saskatoon sold just \$500 worth of harness in a whole year. This spring the same company sold \$30,000 worth of harness.

**V.C.'S TRIBUTE TO  
LATE SIR A. CURRIE**

Toronto, Dec. 1.—"He was just, fair and untrifling," said Lieut.-General Sir Richard E. W. Turner, V.C., in tribute to General Sir Arthur Currie, who died in Montreal early yesterday morning.

The choice of Sir Arthur for command of the Canadian army in France was a wise selection, as well proved by the wonderful success Sir Arthur made of that command, he said.

**SAY CHILDREN  
CRUELLY TREATED**

Three Witnesses Allege In-  
humane Treatment of In-  
mates at Windsor Shelter

Canadian Press

Windsor, Ont., Dec. 1.—Testimony alleging ill-treatment of children at the Children's Shelter here was before Commissioner M. A. Sorrell to-day as the inquiry into conditions at the shelter continued.

Three witnesses told the commissioner yesterday of alleged ill-treatment of children they had witnessed at the shelter. The witnesses were Mrs. Margaret McGuire, for two years employed at the shelter; Mrs. Mildred Dick, former shelter ward, and Miss Bertine Mero, also a former shelter ward.

Mrs. McGuire said she had informed officials of the Windsor Children's Aid Society of specific complaints regarding treatment of the children by Miss Magdalene Strang, shelter matron. Mrs. McGuire testified society officials also had been informed of conditions by Miss Mabel Hood, shelter employee.

When she referred the matter to society officials, Mrs. McGuire added, one of them asked, "Is it because you have left your job that you come here and make these complaints against Miss Strang?" but the witness denied such intention.

**FORCIBLY FED**  
Babies had been fed forcibly, Mrs. McGuire said. One baby with its stomach unable to hold the food had been placed on the floor and forced to take the food, the witness charged.

In her evidence, Mrs. Dick told the commissioner children had their heads bumped on the floor for wrongdoing, while two-year-old Miles Ingleside had his nose rubbed on the floor by Miss Catherine Strang, assistant matron.

**ON THEIR HEADS**  
An antiseptic solution was rubbed into the hair of the children to remove vermin, said the witness. She saw burns on the head of "little Charlie Teasdale," aged about seven, and he had a scab from the forehead to the crown of his head. Later, the antiseptic solution was replaced by another "cure."

Testimony of Miss Bertine Mero, of Zurich, Ont., alleged that fifteen-year-old girl had bathed boys of that age on Miss Magdalene Strang's instructions. Miss Mero said she had not participated in the bathing, but had witnessed the operations.

The hearing has been attracting large crowds, many bringing their lunches.

**WHEAT ACREAGE  
CUT OPPOSED**

Montreal, Dec. 1.—The agreement reached in Europe recently by Prime Minister Mackenzie King regarding the limitation of grain acreage was opposed by prairie wheat farmers, according to Hon. Charles Stewart, M.P. for West Edmonton, who was Minister of the Agriculture.

Stewart arrived here yesterday from Edmonton.

**Threat in Letter  
At Lindsay, Ont.**

Canadian Press  
Lindsay, Ont., Dec. 1.—An anonymous letter demanding \$5,000 on the threat of "dire consequences" if the money is not forthcoming, received by Bartley O'Connell of Lindsay, has been turned over to the authorities, but the contents have not been disclosed in detail. Police are inclined not to take the matter seriously.

**ASYLUM BURDEN  
ON TAXES EASED**

Toronto, Dec. 1.—Since the bill providing for sterilization of the mentally deficient went into force in Alberta in 1927, nearly 300 inmates of institutions after the simple operations necessary had been allowed to leave mental hospitals, materially diminishing the burden on the taxpayers, Hon. George Hoadley, Alberta Minister of Agriculture, said in an interview here yesterday.

The question of sterilization is no longer a matter of discussion in Alberta," he declared. "All political parties have accepted it. The character of the board of administration is so outstanding and the results so satisfactory that the whole question was long ago put outside politics."

**GANGSTER HANGS  
HIMSELF IN JAIL**

Associated Press  
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## GETTING QUICK ACTION

It is gratifying to know that Premier Pattullo's invitation to the Premiers of the three prairie provinces has been so promptly accepted that a meeting will be held here next Monday to discuss common economic and unemployment problems. Mr. Bracken of Manitoba, Mr. Anderson of Saskatchewan, and Premier Brownlee of Alberta will arrive during the week-end.

The problems which confront British Columbia are similar in many respects to the problems which face the three provinces on the other side of the Rockies. Municipalities are in economic difficulties. Each one of them has an unemployment situation which will not permit of adequate solution under existing circumstances. An unprecedented condition throughout the length and breadth of the Dominion has resulted in a good deal of chaos. There have been valiant efforts to produce a more orderly and effectual antidote for our ills; but a relatively small measure of success has been achieved. Various expedients have had to be resorted to. To some extent they have effected relief. It has, however, been the form of relief which has begun and ended for the most part in the payment of money to idle workers who would have preferred to have earned that money by their own toil, but who, in the absence of the demand for their labor, have had to take it in order to keep body and soul together.

What Mr. Pattullo has in mind is the formulation by the four western provinces of some plan which can be recommended to the Dominion government for its consideration. It is far from a question of anti-party between the provinces and the authorities at Ottawa. On the contrary, it is one that must be designed for mutual co-operation in the national interest, especially in the interest of those unfortunate citizens who are suffering from the mental anguish and broken morale which idle weeks and idle months inevitably cause. It can be taken for granted that Premier Bennett will be glad to have the views of the four western Premiers who are naturally more conversant with their own provincial conditions than he could expect to be.

It would seem to be feasible for the four western Premiers to agree on a recommendation for the establishment of some form of advisory council which would include business and financial leaders, social service experts, representatives of the workers, and of the general public. There might well be a national body of this kind to work in co-operation with the Dominion government, with its representatives in each province to work in conjunction with the provincial governments. The provincial bodies could sift all the information placed at their disposal from responsible sources and indicate all of practical value for further consideration by the national organization, or central clearing house for the whole Dominion.

Neither national body nor provincial bodies need be unwieldy or costly. It ought to be possible to enlist the services of capable and impartial citizens to serve in this emergency as they served in the days of the war. For when all is said and done the war which the country must wage now is on unemployment and its attendant ills. It is not a political or sectional matter. It is a matter for the citizens of Canada to deal with on a straightforward business basis.

Mr. Pattullo's idea obviously is an effort to get as quickly as possible a united western proposal to place before the Dominion government, a proposal which no doubt would in its broad form, particularly as it would relate to the unemployment problem, appeal to the other provinces. Mr. Bennett already has foreshadowed a programme of public works. He may be aided in this proposal by the view of the Premiers who will meet in Victoria next Monday.

## NO CHANGE

In the Northern Ireland elections yesterday the government of Viscount Craigavon added to the strength which gave it a majority in the next Parliament when twenty-seven of its supporters were elected by acclamation. Out of a House of fifty-two members, the Unionists (government), have already elected thirty-one, Nationalists eight, Socialists one, and Republicans one. One of the interesting features of the contest was the President of the Irish Free State's election in County Down as a Republican. Needless to say, Mr. de Valera did not cross the border to campaign; neither will he take his seat in the new House, since he would be required to take the oath, and that, of course, he has rubbed out of the Free State constitution.

As far as Northern Ireland is concerned, yesterday's election has made not the slightest difference. It was the ordinary appeal to the people after the government had been in office for more than four years. When Parliament was dissolved, the government held thirty-seven of the fifty-two seats, and when all the returns have been compiled it is not expected that its strength will be very much less than it was before the election. The six northern counties seem just as determined to have nothing to do with the republicanism of the Free State as the Free State seems to be in cutting the tie which at present slenderly links it with the rest of the British Commonwealth. In the meantime, Mr. de Valera is obliged to reckon up from time to time the cost of his policies to the economic life of that part of Ireland which at present is administered by his government.

## B.C. LUMBER AND BRITAIN

Business interests in Hull, England, are becoming alarmed over the prospect of a serious curtailment in the importation of Russian lumber into Great Britain. Speaking at the annual meeting of that city's

chamber of commerce a day or so ago, its president, Mr. Minnett Good, said that for generations the Hull trade knew its best timber came from Russia, that on Russian timber the trade of the district, including its joinery works, had been built up, and that a definite embargo forcing the trade to abandon its Russian timber dealings would be serious for persons engaged in businesses using wood.

We in Canada, and especially in British Columbia, hope that Ottawa and High Commissioner Ferguson will persuade the British government to prevent the consummation of negotiations between the British organization which controls the importation of Russian lumber and Soviet trading authorities which would mean an order for the latter for nearly 800,000,000 feet board measurement of the Russian product for the 1934 trade. Canada is relying upon Great Britain to live up to Article 21 of the Canadian-United Kingdom trade treaty entered into at the Ottawa conference last year. Our contention is that unless this clause shall be operative in the present circumstances the preference given to Canada by the treaty will be of no use at all, since the Canadian contention is that lumber is produced in Russia by state aid, and consequently, is not in fair competition with Canadian lumber in the British market.

This whole matter, of course, has to be considered from more than one standpoint. Canada wants more lumber business from Great Britain, Britain wants more business from Canada. The Ottawa pact was designed to bring about a larger exchange of commodities. Ever since 1891 Canada has had by far the greater advantage; for many years it ran approximately three dollars to one in this country's favor. Even under the present condition of restricted world trade this Dominion's advantage on the exchange of commodities with Great Britain, in an aggregate turnover of \$293,200,000, was no less than \$100,000,000 in the last twelve months.

## THE ONLY WAY

Magistrate W. M. McKay in Vancouver Police Court yesterday sentenced three bank robbers to terms in the penitentiary and lashes. Two of them were given seven years and a third five years and all three are to have ten lashes apiece. The lighter sentence imposed on the third was on account of the fact that he had no previous criminal record.

One of the prisoners who got seven years told the court he was wanted in Montreal for another bank holdup; but he asked for mercy so that he could become a law-abiding citizen at the conclusion of his period in jail. This was hardly the kind of argument to influence a magistrate in respect of one of the most serious crimes against society. The man who points a gun at a law-abiding citizen and demands that he turn over valuables in his possession or money of which he is a trustee is a potential murderer. Some who are challenged by these desperadoes are tempted to take a chance and grapple with them with fatal consequences.

The only effective way to deal with the armed bandit is the way Magistrate McKay dealt with the three in Vancouver yesterday.

## THE BARONS AT IT AGAIN

The two prominent newspaper barons of Great Britain, Beaverbrook and Rothermere, have broken out afresh. Our Canadian-born Beaverbrook wants Britain to cut loose from the rest of Europe and attend to her own washing. Rothermere would have Great Britain enter into a definite alliance with France in order to secure the latter against Germany, and he would put Germany in a better frame of mind about her ancient enemy by having the Anglo-French alliance approve Germany's desire to expand her eastern frontiers at the expense of Russia. He says it is to "thinly-populated western Russia that the National Socialist government in Berlin looks for an outlet. . . . I can see no danger to western Europe in this tendency. . . . No other nation is so capable of clearing up the Russian mess as Germany."

There is a decided division of opinion as to whether Great Britain should or could cut herself adrift from European entanglements and remain free to act merely in her own interests in the event of future conflict. Her statesmen for the most part seem to think that she can not ignore any disturbing development on the other side of the North Sea, and for that reason she must remain sympathetic toward Continental Europe's troubles until some practical advance in regard to disarmament and more cordial international co-operation have been accomplished. If all efforts to stabilize the Old World fail, however, there may be a general disposition to prepare for any emergency.

The Rothermere plan, of course, would pave the way for another general conflagration. It is amazing that one supposed to be in a position to influence public opinion should come out openly as the advocate of a form of German imperialism differing only from that which his family's newspapers deplored in 1914 in that the trend would be eastward instead of westward. How comes it, incidentally, that Lord Rothermere thinks there is a "Russian mess" which Germany ought to be allowed to clear up?

## WHAT OTHER PAPERS SAY

THE SAULT CANAL  
The Ottawa Journal

Traffic through the Sault Ste. Marie Canal in September was the heaviest in any month since 1929, totaled 8,453,000 tons. Wonder how many of us realize there is more traffic through the Sault Canal than through the St. Lawrence.

THE WILMINGTON FREE PRESS

This is a fact western observers cannot fail to note, Europe, by the events now in progress, has suddenly become very remote from the American Continent; and noble principles have suddenly gone, very dim in the fog of disputes whose capacity for ruin is the only thing about them that the western mind is sure of when it seeks a guide to what is taking place.

## A THOUGHT

I said in my heart, Go to now, I will prove thee with mirth, therefore enjoy pleasure; and, behold, this also is vanity. . . . Ecclesiastes, II 1.  
Humor has justly been regarded as the finest perfection of poetic genius—Carlyle.

## Loose Ends

A lass of people which does its duty nobly but is not appreciated in the least—another heart-rending piece of poetry—the way the machine jumps and the way it doesn't—preparations next door—and a request to poor Santy.

By H. B. W.

## UNFORTUNATES

THE FLIGHT of heirs and heiresses in the United States has become truly heart-rending. Such unfortunates as Miss Doris Duke, with an inherited fortune of \$53,000,000, must move about constantly with guards lest kidnappers remove them. Miss Duke, who is typical of this ill-fated class of society, these victims of a topey-turvy economic system, says she cannot remain in one city more than a few days or go out and see anything lest her presence become known to gangsters.

Thus the poor girl's life is a misery to her and so are the lives of countless other heiresses. Yet the callous government of the United States, while spending billions to help the unemployed, is doing nothing whatever to protect the unfortunate rich. Apparently nothing can be done for them and they can do nothing for themselves. It is a curious phenomenon of a lunatic age.

These eminent people must know better, of course, but to the ordinary man there does seem to be a way out after all. If money is a misery to an heiress, she might try giving it away and thus become happy. But intolerable as wealth is, unhappy as it makes its holders still, with a noble sense of public duty, they almost never give it away. They go on suffering, but no one appreciates it. The poor just look on with an incredible callousness. There is no gratitude in the world any more.

## HEARTRENDING

SINCE we are in this morbid humor, let us luxuriate in our grief by reading an ode to the Royal Jubilee Hospital, from that splendid treasure trove of Victorian poetry which I rediscovered the other day. This is guaranteed to make you weep:

Of all the institutions in this city,  
There is one that claims our utmost pity:

For in that place down by the Willows,  
We see sad faces on the pillows.

The nurse ever on the alert,  
Often have to change a shirt.

This really comes all in their work,  
From which they never seem to shrink.

But still keep working on and on,  
Until they have their day's work done.

Then off they go with smiling faces,  
When others come and take their places.

The night is long and the pains are there,  
And sometimes they sit in a vacant chair.

To some some patients through the night,  
Who often has with death to fight.

The doctor calls to their aide,  
And he mostly turns the tide.

By giving directions to the nurse,  
Which makes their pains easier and worse.

## WHAT NEXT?

THE NEW perfection of British motion pictures, as shown by such spectacles as "Henry VIII," illustrates in a devastating fashion just how the machine works; or rather how it doesn't work. A while ago Hollywood enjoyed a monopoly of the world's film industry. Its pictures were silent and contained no language at all. Then came the invention of the talkies and a great revival in the picture industry. With this mechanical improvement, Hollywood looked forward to a wonderful new birth and prosperity. It proceeded to flood the world with talkies.

Then—curious that no one seems to have foreseen it—just the opposite happened. Speech having reached the screen, each nation started its own movie industry and now Kistree is challenging Hollywood.

Thus you see, you never know which way the machine will jump. You never know when its improvement may be your ruin. You toil and suffer to improve it and then find your own shirt tail caught in the cog. Probably in some obscure basement a fellow is

working to-day on an invention which will perform your job much more rapidly and efficiently than you can. Probably in some garret a friend is developing a machine which will write columns for the newspaper and leave no destitute among my onions and cabbages.

The theory of the classical economists in this matter, though, is very comforting. They have always held that for every job a machine destroys, it creates a new one in a different line of industry. You can see for yourself how right the classical economists have been in this as in everything. Carlyle said they were crazy in his famous essay on Chartist fifty years ago. You can see now that it is one of those theories unassailable and utterly logical on paper; but the unanswerable answer to it is just this—it doesn't work. That is the answer to most of our best theories these days.

## POOR SANTY

WE WROTE a letter to Santy to-day," said the little girl from next door.

"Choo, choo, train—ho, hoo," said her brother.

"He means he asked Santy for a little train to run on tracks," said his sister.

"So we burned the letter in the fireplace. That's how Santy gets his letters, you know. He reads 'em in the smoke."

"Moke, moke," said her brother.

"You'll never guess what I asked Santy for."

"Yes, that's it—a little tiny baby, all my own. I wonder if Santy will be able to afford to bring me a baby this Christmas or not? My daddy, he says it's hard times these days and people can't afford babies, but I bet Santy can all right."

"Choo, choo, train," said her brother.

"You know Mrs. Grubbin, down the road, the young one, what got herself a husband last year? Well, Santy brought her a baby this week, mind you, and before Christmas, but it's not 'Santy baby' as her brother, who has treated the new arrival with contempt from the start.

"Well, if Santy can bring Mrs. Grubbin a baby before Christmas, I guess he can bring me one at Christmas. Besides, I'm sick of dolls. I want a real baby what you can feed porridge and tea to. Dolls are all right, but they won't eat porridge or tea. Holy Moses, I hope Santy isn't really broke like my daddy says, 'cause I certainly want a real live baby that will eat porridge and drink tea."

"Choo, choo, train," said her brother with a superior air. "Toot, toot."

## Twenty-five Years Ago To-day

### THE VICTORIA DAILY TIMES

December 1, 1908  
(From The Times File)

Seattle, Wash., Dec. 1.—The United States government has bought the steamships Shawmut and Tremont from the Boston Steamship Company. They will be used as transports for work in connection with the Panama Canal.

The purchase price is said to be in the neighborhood of \$750,000 each.

Madame Nordica, who has the distinction of being the world's greatest singer, arrived this morning from Seattle on the steamer Princess Victoria. She has just finished an engagement in the sound city.

The last of the Victoria sealing fleet, the Dora Eward, owned by the Victoria Sealing Company, arrived home yesterday and tied up near Point Ellice bridge. She brought 675 skins, the largest catch of the fleet in Bering Sea.

At an expenditure of \$50,000 ordered by Manager Spelling of the B.C. Electric Company, Victoria is to have an addition of seven large street cars to the present rolling stock. Six passenger cars of the latest type and one sight-seeing car make up the order for the Victoria Electric equipment.

The cars, said A. T. Goward, local manager of the company this morning, will be delivered here by May 1, and at once will be put into commission.

The first game of the local basketball league will take place Monday night, December 7, when the Bays and North

Ward teams will meet at the Assembly rink for a forty-minute tussle.

Maurice Hill was among the passengers from Seattle yesterday.

Over one hundred covers were laid in the large dining-room of the Empress Hotel last evening when St. Andrew's night was celebrated. The dinner was enjoyed, served in the hotel's best style, to members of St. Andrew's Society and their guests.

## Other People's Views

### NOTICE

The Times urges its correspondents to restrict their contributions to 400 words. It positively will not print lengthy communications.

These letters must be plainly written on one side of the paper only, and must be accompanied by the name and address of the writer, not necessarily for publication but as a guarantee of good faith.

Letters will not be re-written for publication. If they are not legible an attempt will be made to read them.

Letters not used will not be returned to the writers.

These rules, which henceforth will be carried out absolutely, are designed as much for the protection of our patient readers as for that of The Times.

### APPRECIATION

To the Editor:—Please allow me to express my thanks to the editors who kindly supported me in the recent election.

I wish also to congratulate the successful candidates, and now feel that we should all co-operate towards bringing back better times to our glorious province.

FRED. J. CROWHURST.

1239 Fairfield Road, Victoria,  
November 30.

### LIBERTY OF THE PRESS

To the Editor:—If a recent Quebec ruling is confirmed, liberty of speech and of the press is dead and buried in Canada. What religious or social reformer, from the days of Noah onwards, did not, to use Judge Fitzpatrick's own words, "introduce a discordant note in what must be a harmonious society"? The tenor of the judgment must be read to be believed. Do Canadians consent to the burial? NON-CONFORMISTS.

### HELP FOR THE POOR

To the Editor:—Regarding charity racketeering that is going on now, and always will be while this depression lasts, I beg to suggest a method that would to a great extent curb it. That is for kindly disposed donors to visit the local relief office and mingle with the unfortunate people that have to receive relief, and then draw their own conclusion. They will hear of the desperate plight of these people firsthand, and hear parents' version of trying to raise children on the infamous Jones scale of \$2.50 per month, whereas other organizations require \$4 per week or over per child. In a recent issue of your paper an entitled account of the unemployed children's summer camp showed no wages were paid any of the willing workers, and all money accounted for. Therefore I would strongly advise all well-meaning people to donate direct to the people that need it—the unemployed themselves.

### A RELIEF WORKER.

### EARWIG

To the Editor:—Since there has been considerable correspondence in the recently regarding the desirability of introducing earwig parasites, it will be of interest to the writers of these letters to know that the Dominion Entomological Branch has had the matter in hand for a considerable time. A quantity of these parasites was ordered from the earwig parasite laboratory at Portland, Oregon, last August and it is informed that they will be delivered about the middle of December. These are not the first to be introduced into British Columbia by any means, for on two occasions, about five years ago, a quantity were obtained from England and released at New Westminster where earwigs were much more numerous than they are in Victoria to-day. These two liberations were, apparently, not a success for nothing has been seen of them up to this time, and all efforts to recover them have failed. The department, naturally, did not want to introduce more unless their successful establishment could be assured, as it is a matter entailing considerable expense. But last year I had an opportunity of visiting the Portland laboratory and went into the question with the officials in charge. A recommendation made that more parasites be obtained from Portland. Nothing could be done that year, but this year Mr. A. B. Baird, officer in charge of parasite work in the Dominion, visited the laboratory and finding that the parasites were meeting with considerable success, recommended that another effort be made to establish them in British Columbia.

It appears, by some of the enquiries made at this office, that many are under the impression that the expected consignment of earwig parasites is for distribution to the general public. This is not the case. They are to be used, if funds permit, as breeding stock to raise thousands more which will then be released where they are most needed.

W. DOWRIES,  
Dominion Entomological Laboratory,  
Parliament Buildings, Victoria,  
November 30, 1933.

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## Six Months For Chemainus Chinese

Duncan, Dec. 1.—Sentence of six months in Oskalla with a \$200 fine, or

in default an additional month, was passed by G. A. Tisdall, stipendiary magistrate, on Jang Chow Fong, Chinese, in provincial police court.

Fong pleaded guilty to having had opium in his possession on the evening of November 19, when Royal Canadian

Mounted Police officers visited his premises, an old bunkhouse at Chemainus, and effected the arrest through the aid of an operative.

C. F. Davis, K.C., appeared for the Crown. The minimum penalty was imposed on the accused, who made no statement.

## RE-ASSESSMENTS IN CUMBERLAND

Island Town Rebuilt After Big Fire; Council Sets Taxation Values

Special to The Times  
Cumberland, Dec. 1.—Assessments on eighteen new buildings in the business section of the city were considered by the city council this week. The rebuilding of the business section since the disastrous fire and the opening of the new suburb on the Courtenay Road outside the city limits will make considerable difference in assessment rolls this year.

The following assessments were put on the new buildings: Wilcock's (Pay and Save), former assessment \$2,100, new assessment \$2,500; King George Hotel, formerly \$4,500, now \$5,500; Lang's, formerly \$2,100, now \$3,000; A. McKinnon, formerly \$2,500, now \$2,000; Scavarda's, formerly \$1,800, now \$2,500; J. Marocchi, formerly \$3,150, now \$3,500; Cumberland Hotel, formerly \$3,000, now \$3,000; Old Fellow's Hall, formerly \$2,250, now \$5,000; Royal Bank of Canada, formerly \$3,100, unchanged; T. D. McLean, formerly \$800, now \$500; Walker Bros., \$2,500.

Assessments on the new dwellings are as follows: J. Gibb, \$600; R. S. Robertson, \$600; H. Parkinson, \$500; C. Walker, \$600; C. Dando, \$750; J. Thomson, \$1,100.

## CONCERT AIDS DUNCAN CHURCH

Duncan, Dec. 1.—A concert was given in the K. of P. Hall, Duncan, Wednesday, under the direction of Miss I. Monk, in aid of the Duncan Presbyterian Church. Out of town artists who kindly came and assisted included Miss Scowcroft, J. Longfield and A. W. Trevitt, Victoria; Mrs. P. Lloyd, Westholme; Mr. Alister and Mr. Adam, Chemainus.

Rev. Mr. Jameson acted as chairman, and Miss Monk had full charge of the program and arrangements for the entertainment.

## LEADS SALVATION ARMY DRIVE



Marshalling her forces to meet the rapidly growing need for relief in the United States as winter approaches, Commander Evangeline Booth of the Salvation Army is shown here, leaving the White House, Washington, D.C.

## LORDS ARE FOR SWEEPS IN BRITAIN

Canadian Press  
London, Dec. 1.—Because of the "hypocrisy" of the British anti-lottery laws, the Duke of Atholl told the House of Lords yesterday that "we are making ourselves the laughing stock of the civilized world."

The Duke of Montrose, joining in a debate on the desirability of financing hospitals by sweepstakes, said that "if the present law were strictly enforced more than half the voters in the country would be imprisoned tomorrow for their part in raffles."

The Duke of Atholl admitted he had been fined £25 for conducting a sweepstake.

"Millions of pounds are finding their way into the pockets of those who are openly displaying to the king through the Irish sweepstakes, the Duke of Atholl said."

The Duke of Sutherland asked: "Is France less moral than we because she uses the official lottery?"



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## LESS REVENUE FROM B.C. CARS

Dropped \$127,000 to \$1,971,000 in British Columbia Last Year

British Columbia's revenue from motor and drivers' licenses dropped \$127,000 last year. It amounted to \$1,971,000, a record for the province, made public today by the motor branch of the Provincial Police shows.

The percentage decrease in these licenses as compared with the issuance in 1931 is as follows: Motor vehicle licenses, 7 per cent; motor-cycle licenses, 3½ per cent; motor dealers' licenses, 13 per cent; chauffeurs' licenses, 4½ per cent; chauffeurs' licenses, 5 per cent; and notices of transfer, 17½ per cent. However, there was an increase of 18 per cent in the number of licenses issued for trailers.

**FEWER NEW CARS**  
New registrations for motor vehicles showed a sharp decrease, there being 4,400 of these during the year 1932, as compared with 5,014 during the year 1931, a decrease of almost 45 per cent. New registrations for passenger motor vehicles amounted to 3,600 and for commercial vehicles to 803, which is a decrease of 43.7 and 60.6 per cent, respectively under the number registered in 1931. Last year there was an

increase of 9.57 per cent, as compared with 1930 in the number of motor vehicle licenses which were renewed, but this year there has been a decrease in the renewals of motor vehicle licenses of 3.65 per cent, as compared with 1931. The decrease in the total motor vehicle licenses issued this year, as compared with 1931, was 7.1 per cent.

## Keating

Mrs. J. Patterson and Mrs. W. Bate were joint hostesses at a delightful miscellaneous shower held at the home of their mother, Mrs. H. Lauria, Gilles Crescent, on Tuesday evening in honor of Miss Sadie Patterson, a popular bride-elect. The gifts were presented to the guest of honor in a basket decorated in pastel shades.

Games and contests were enjoyed during the evening, prizes being won by Misses Sadie Patterson, Alma Heyer, Violet Holloway and Alice Styan. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostesses, assisted by Mrs. A. Patterson, Mrs. H. Lawrie and Mrs. W. Whiteley.

Those present were Mrs. A. Patterson, Mrs. H. Lawrie, Mrs. R. Patterson, Mrs. P. Holloway, Mrs. Greenstead, Mrs. Greenhalgh, Mrs. MacNab, Mrs. J. Whiteley Jr., Mrs. A. Hafer, Mrs. J. Patterson, Mrs. W. Bate, Mrs. B. Bickford, Mrs. A. Shiner, Mrs. M. Bickford, Mrs. S. Shiner, Misses Sadie Patterson, Alice Styan, Jessie Rhode, Violet McAlly, Violet Holloway, Gerlie and Lillian Deering, Ida and Alma Heyer and Christie MacNab.

## FURTHER DROP IN EGG MARKET

The egg market, which on Wednesday took a five cent drop after remaining stationary since October 21, this morning fell another three cents per dozen, owing to the temporary cessation of the demand from the prairies, which in recent weeks has led to the shipment of large loads of B.C. eggs east.

It is generally considered that the present figure will be the bottom for the time being, and with the resumption of demand from the east it is expected to rise again somewhat. This stoppage of the flow of B.C. eggs towards the east is believed to be artificial, with the intention of lowering prices. It can, however, only be temporary, as the production in the provinces concerned is not sufficient to supply all their demands.

**NOISOME CHARIVARI**  
Uniontown, Pa., Dec. 1 (Associated Press).—William Beyer, sixty-five, and his bride didn't mind the "serenade" because they knew a noisy greeting from the boys of the community was an inevitable concomitant of marriage. But the live skunk the "serenaders" tossed into the bushes upset the bride and groom, and seven youths must face disorderly conduct charges.

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# THE RECORD

## CONTROLLED INVALUABLE

### Supreme Court Judgment May Affect Many Americans

Associated Press

Mexico City, Dec. 1.—The Supreme Court has ruled that a divorce decreed without both parties having been present at a hearing is invalid and thus opens a way for many Americans to appeal against Mexican divorces obtained by one husband or wife without the mate's consent.

While the ruling applies only to divorce cases, legal authorities said the Court always follows precedent and that the action practically kills the quick divorce laws of Chihuahua, Morelos, Yucatan and Campeche provinces.

#### SHOWER FOR BRIDE-ELITE

Cumberland, Dec. 1.—The Misses A. Herd, Edna Gear and Mrs. A. J. McCall were hostesses on Thursday evening at the home of Miss Herd as the bride and groomsman showered in honor of Miss Deena (Maud) Baird, whose marriage will take place in December. Four tables of bridge were the central motif in the decorative scheme. Caroline G. C. and Charlotte C. and Mrs. A. J. McCall were the many gifts was made by Miss Edna Gear to the guest of honor, who was seated beneath a white wedding bell and a pink and green paper, trimmed with rosebuds and white satin ribbons. Miss Baird was assisted in opening and acknowledging the gifts by Miss Jessie Gear and Miss Edna Gear. Those present included the Misses Charlotte G. C., Mrs. Farnham, Kate and Effie Bano, Carrie Gerson, Miss Josephine, Mrs. A. J. McCall, Mrs. Fickel, and Caroline Gozanno, Edna Conant, Josephine Welch, Kate Baird and Lillian Banks. Mrs. A. J. McCall was the bride's maid. Mrs. Murray, Mrs. McRae, Miss Armstrong,

Home-lired and well content to remain within the house this night. Do spend the evening-hours listening to Mister Black, who did drop in, and Samuel as they enjoy a well meant argument over election results. Leave them very heated in their discussion—and so to bed.



## SOCIAL, PERSONAL AND HOME INTERESTS

## 40 YEARS OLD?

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If you are 40, or are past this age, don't delude yourself. You are not as active as you were in your twenties. Look in the face the fact that a change has taken place. Maybe Nature could forgive laxness in simple, sensible health rules in early life, but she can't and won't now.

Now—and from now on—your continued good health is a matter of sensible habits of living, eating and sleeping—plus watchful care that your eliminative processes remain both regular and complete.

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grey whirl of smoke that rose from the blazing logs on the open hearth. "I didn't know the documents were of so much value to you," he remarked in a casual voice.

"Seven thousand pounds—it's out of the question," repeated Templeton firmly. A few hundred, I thought, would cover this. Perhaps a thousand at the very outside. But 7,000 pounds—the figure's absurd.

"Absurd? I wonder," Lewin raised his eyes. "My client made a strange remark to me to-day, Sir Richard. He said to him this morning on the telephone by the man who holds the documents. Perhaps you'd care to hear it. 'These papers may mean life or death to somebody! You can judge the truth of it better than I, for you know the contents of the documents.'"

"And you? Templeton swung around on him suddenly. 'Do you know their contents?'"

(To Be Continued)

## Uncle Wiggily's Cellar Noise

(By HOWARD R. GARIS)

The day after Thanksgiving no one in Uncle Wiggily's hollow stump bungalow felt very much like doing anything. All the rabbit boys and girls had eaten so much turnip pudding and pumpkin pie, to say nothing of popcorn and roast chestnut salad that they ate very little at the breakfast table.

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"No, I'm not ill, Nurse Jane," said the little orphan rabbit. "But I'm not hungry."

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Merchants should profit to-day, which seems to promise much interest in shopping. The stores have the chance to sell or even a surprisingly good Christmas trade. Persons whose business it is to have the success of a year of success in which it is possible to realize on old investments. Children born of a year of success in which it is possible to realize on old investments.

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## DUNCAN HOLDS TURKEY SHOW

Record Entry For Exhibition  
By Cowichan Breeders

Special to The Times  
Duncan, Dec. 1.—The fourth annual turkey show, under the auspices of the Cowichan Turkey Breeders' Association, was opened yesterday afternoon by Mrs. C. H. Dickie. The show was held in the Agricultural Hall here and over 100 entries were forthcoming from all over the district. Jesse Throssell acted as judge.

Following is a partial list of the prize winners:  
**American Bred:**  
Old Tom—1, Mrs. G. O. Weller; 2, A. Ashman; 3, Mrs. G. O. Weller.  
Hen—1, A. Ashman; 2, Mrs. G. O. Weller.  
Cockerel—1, Mrs. G. O. Weller; 2, A. Ashman; 3, Mrs. G. O. Weller.

**English Bred:**  
Old Tom—1, Col. H. D. McLaughlin; 2, Mrs. C. W. Throssell; 3, T. H. Horsfall.  
Hen—1, T. H. Horsfall; 2, Col. McLaughlin; 3, T. H. Horsfall.  
Cockerel—1, and 2, Col. McLaughlin; 3, T. H. Horsfall.

**White Holland:**  
Old Tom—1, Col. McLaughlin; 2, Mrs. G. O. Weller; 3, Col. McLaughlin.  
Hen—1, T. H. Horsfall; 2, and 3, Col. McLaughlin.

**Black:**  
Old Tom—1, Col. McLaughlin; 2, Mrs. G. O. Weller; 3, Mrs. G. O. Weller.  
Hen—1, Col. McLaughlin; 2, Mrs. G. O. Weller; 3, Mrs. G. O. Weller.

**Narragansett:**  
Old Tom—1, Mrs. W. J. Curry; 2, Mrs. G. O. Weller; 3, Mrs. W. J. Curry.  
Hen—1, Mrs. G. O. Weller; 2, Mrs. W. J. Curry; 3, Mrs. G. O. Weller.

**Bourbon Red:**  
Old Tom—1, Mrs. G. O. Weller; 2, N. T. Porter; 3, Mrs. G. O. Weller.  
Hen—1, and 2, Mrs. G. O. Weller; 3, N. T. Porter.

**Bourbon Black:**  
Old Tom—1, Mrs. G. O. Weller; 2, N. T. Porter; 3, Mrs. G. O. Weller.  
Hen—1, Mrs. G. O. Weller; 2, N. T. Porter; 3, Mrs. G. O. Weller.

**Best Display:**  
Old Tom—1, Mrs. G. O. Weller; 2, N. T. Porter; 3, Mrs. G. O. Weller.  
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## TRUTH THEME IS MOROUS

Fairfield Players' Presentation Well Received By Large Audience at Shrine Hall

The different entangling situations that can arise when a person tells nothing but the absolute truth for twenty-four hours provided the main theme for the plot of James Montgomery's three-act comedy, "Nothing But the Truth," which was ably presented by the Fairfield Players, under the direction of Mrs. Hugh Nixon, at the Shrine Auditorium before an audience of nearly 400 persons yesterday evening.

The play was presented under the auspices of Assembly No. 5 of the Canadian Daughters' League. Entrance music was provided by the Little Theatre Orchestra under the baton of Harry Day.

Stellar honors in the production went to Douglas Nixon as Robert Bennett, the naive and unsophisticated youth who undertook to tell nothing but the truth for twenty-four hours, and Miss Audrey Nixon as Mabel, the subterfuge of the play, Miss Marjorie Siddall as Mrs. Ralston and Miss Tillie Carey as Gwendolyn Ralston made all they could of their roles.

Finally in an endeavor to obtain the extra \$10,000 needed by his fiancée he wagers the \$10,000 that he can go "the even tenure of his way" without telling a falsehood for twenty-four hours. The wager is made and the fun begins.

Of all the situations ever devised by the brain of man, that of having to tell the truth for a day—even to your best friends when they ask you very personal questions—is the most embarrassing. Bennett almost lost all his friends, had a husband and wife estranged, his fiancée's best friend in tears and had almost ruined a successful brokerage business when the last act came around and everything was settled to everyone's satisfaction.

Douglas Nixon in the role of Bennett, turned in a good performance. The naïveté of the youth was well brought out, and his characterization had the audience in fits of laughter.

Miss Audrey Nixon, in a role that was, one might say, written around her. Playing a girl of the "Miss West" type, Miss Nixon, who appeared to be frequently upon the stage, brought down the house with her "innocent girl" plea.

Among the rest of the cast, all of which turned in an excellent performance, were Ted Kirby as Clarence Van Dusen, Genelle Cave-Brown-Cave as Bishop Doran and Bill Boorman as Dick Donnelly, a customer's man.

## ALBERNI VOTES ON NEW BRIDGE

Council Decides to Submit Referendum to Ratepayers in January

Special to The Times  
Port Alberni, Dec. 1.—When ratepayers of Port Alberni go to the polls in January to elect their new municipal officers they will also be asked to vote on a plebiscite on the rebuilding of Third Avenue bridge. At the council meeting this week, it was decided to submit the following question: "Are you in favor of rebuilding Third Avenue bridge at an estimated cost of \$3,500?" Mayor Warnock, Aldermen Jones, Harris, Stone and Watson voted in favor, with Aldermen McMillan and Steele against.

In giving his reasons for voting against the motion, Ald. McMillan said that the figure of \$3,500 was wrong and misleading, as everyone knew that a bridge over Coal Creek ravine at this point would cost much more. Such a bridge would cost the city about \$400 or \$500 for every year of its life, and it could not be expected to give service for more than ten or twelve years. He thought the full project, which he has long worked for, which was recommended by the government engineers, was far more practical and, above all, permanent.

Ald. McMillan could not understand the mental attitude of any alderman or mayor who would consider for a minute the idea of borrowing money and putting the city still further into debt at a time like this. He moved an amendment to the effect that the works committee be given authority to start a bill, according to plans on file in the city hall, and that the work be done by relief labor. There was no seconder.

Ald. Watson admitted the idea of doing permanent work appealed to him, but he wondered where the works department ever expected to get the material to fill the ravine. Ald. Harris said that it was not necessary for the city to borrow or float bonds. Two extra mills on the tax rate would cover the cost, he said.

**SEVENTY AUTO  
LICENSES HELD**

Police Report on Operation of Financial Responsibility Clause

During the four months it was in effect last year, seventy-five automobile drivers' licenses and thirty-two motor vehicle licenses were suspended through the financial responsibility clause added to the Motor Vehicle Act aimed to keep drivers, unable to meet any damage bills they might create, off the road.

Of the licenses suspended, twenty-nine drivers' licenses and sixteen motor vehicle licenses were returned upon proof of financial responsibility, as required under sections 47 and 48 of the act, being given. Fifty drivers' licenses and twenty-two motor vehicle licenses were suspended through the financial responsibility clause added to the Motor Vehicle Act aimed to keep drivers, unable to meet any damage bills they might create, off the road.

During the same period 342 persons took advantage of the privilege of voluntarily filing proof of financial responsibility, by virtue of the British Columbia financial responsibility insurance certificate, in order to safeguard themselves against suspension of their drivers' or owners' licenses should they in future come within the provisions of those sections of the act which provide for suspensions of drivers' and owners' licenses until proof of financial responsibility is given.

"Owing to the short period of time this legislation has been in effect, it is impossible to give, with any degree of accuracy, its effect, but I am satisfied from the short experience I have had with it that it will eventually be the means of eliminating the financially irresponsible drivers from the highways," says Col. J. H. McMillin, provincial police commissioner.

## Care for Sea?

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**SPECIAL SHOPPERS' LUNCHEON**, for ..... 40¢  
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**ROAST TURKEY LUNCHEON**, 50¢  
 and in the Coffee Shoppe, Lower Main Floor.  
**FULL COURSE SHOPPERS' LUNCHEON** ..... 25¢  
 Free Life-Savers to Everyone!

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**RUFFLE CURTAINS**  
 A factory surplus stock of better-grade Marquisette Curtains, in combination colors on ecru ground, also fancy designs in self colors, 2 1/2 yards long. Regular ..... 1.49  
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**CURTAIN NETS**  
 Extra wide Curtain Nets, in a nice even weave. Splendid range of attractive designs. Exceptional value! 45 inches wide ..... 29¢

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 Hand-blocked Indian Prints, in a wide variety of designs, including Runners, Table Covers, Cushion Tops and Bedspreads, HALF PRICE

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 Smart designs and bright colorings—both sides alike! A really hard-wearing quality at a very low price! Size 24x36 ..... 69¢

**CARPET SWEEPERS**  
 One that will give satisfaction and do good work! Saves a lot of time, takes up little room! ..... 3.75

**FELT-BASE FLOOR COVERING**  
 Bright attractive Floor Covering, 6 feet wide, in a good choice of patterns. Specially priced, ..... 39¢  
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 Attractive Lamps of ornamental metal, in brass or oxidized finish, complete with wiring and parchment shade, ..... 3.95

**LARGE WALL MIRRORS**  
 Size 12x18 inches, pressed Glass Mirrors, in walnut and mahogany finished frames. Useful as bedroom or dressing room ..... 2.95  
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Latest Date for Mailing to England!  
**CHRISTMAS CARDS**  
 12 beautiful folder-type Christmas Cards, regular 50 and 100, in cellulose packet. Specially priced at ..... 49¢

**LOCAL VIEWS**  
 A large and beautiful range of Local Views, made up on calendar mount for every day. Priced at ..... 35¢  
 50¢ and ..... 75¢

**YOUR PHOTOGRAPH**  
 Special arrangements have been made whereby you may have four 5x7-inch portraits, mounted on attractive 8x10-inch double-edged ..... 4.95  
 mounts, at 4 for ..... 4.95

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1.00 Barlett's Malted Milk for ..... 89¢  
 1.25 Scott's Emulsion, large, for ..... 99¢  
 25c Lavender Shaving Cream ..... 19¢

Kotex ..... 25¢  
 3 for ..... 69¢  
 Kleenex ..... 21¢  
 7 for ..... 39¢  
 15c Nupel, large, for ..... 59¢  
 12.5c Bayer's Aspirin, 100, for ..... 99¢  
 5c Mentholatum for ..... 54¢

15c Albert's Floral Toilet Soap, 3 in a box, for ..... 29¢  
 11.5c Vaseline, 1 lb., for ..... 1.29  
 11.5c Red Iron and Wino, for ..... 89¢  
 12c Liquid Petroleum, 16 oz., for ..... 39¢  
 12c Kruschen Salt, for ..... 69¢  
 11.5c Lysol, large, for ..... 1.29

11c Hot Water Bottles, fully guaranteed, each ..... 69¢  
 11c Norwegian Cod Liver Oil for ..... 49¢  
 12c Coughers Soap, 3 for ..... 69¢  
 12c Camphorated Oil, 3 oz., for ..... 1.19  
 11.5c Jergens' Banana Lotion for ..... 89¢  
 11.5c Listerine, large, for ..... 99¢  
 12c English Epsom Salts, 1 lb., for ..... 99¢

11.5c HBC Malt and Cod Liver Oil for ..... 99¢  
 12c Cascara Tablets, 1 grain, 100 for ..... 59¢  
 12c Lemon Bath Soap, 4 for ..... 25¢  
 12c A.B.S. & C. Tablets, 100, for ..... 1.19  
 12c Fend's Cold or Vanishing Cream for ..... 49¢  
 11.5c Ovaline, large, for ..... 1.09

9 a.m. SPECIAL  
 10 only—3-lb. Glass Jars Pure Bath Salts, to clear at ..... 25¢  
 (1 lb. of 1 to a customer.)

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### Gift Specials

From the Staple Section!

#### Linen Damask Luncheon Sets

Beautiful Linen Damask Luncheon Sets for Christmas gifts—cloth, size 55x70 inches and 6 matching napkins. Popular patterns! ..... 2.98

#### Hand-made Lace Spreads

An exceptional value at this price! Please note, there are no exchanges or refunds on this line! Size 70x90 inches. Each ..... 1.00

#### Clearance of Bedspreads

100 only! Including rayon, jacquards and cordedwork—size 80x100 inches, in a full range of ..... 1.98  
 lovely colorings. Each ..... 1.98

#### White Hemstitched Sheets

Made from a sturdy cotton, that will give lots of wear! An ideal Christmas gift! Size 70x90 inches. Each ..... 88¢

#### Pure Wool Blankets

Woven from soft, lofty yarns, with pink and blue borders! White only! Size 72x84 inches. ..... 5.98

#### White Turkish Towels

Usually sold at 50¢ each! Soft, spongy Towels, finished with attractive colored borders. Size 23x45 inches. Each ..... 39¢

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### Afternoon and Sunday Night Frocks

Ordinarily \$12.95

Special Sale at

**\$7.49**

Saturday we offer this special group of Frocks, in satins and ruff crepes! Sunday night and afternoon types, in all the season's smartest styles for present wear! See these Dresses here on Saturday—we know you'll like them! Attractive colors and black. All sizes.

### Three-piece Knitted Suits

Solid shades and mixtures, hip-length coats, belted, with plain and fancy combinations color pullovers. Neat tailored skirts, plain with group pleats and slight flares. Smart colors. Sizes for misses or women ..... \$5.95

### Gabardine Raincoats

We were able to buy these Coats from one of our leading manufacturers in the Eastern markets, to sell at this exceptionally low figure! Single and double-breasted styles in sand shade; sizes 34 to 40 ..... \$3.79

### Fur-trimmed Coats

New styles, with large fur collars and sleeves trimmed in fur. Plain, rough and smooth woolsens. All fully lined and interlined. Blue, brown and black. Specially priced at ..... \$12.98

—Second Floor, HBC



### 120 Tapestry Handbags

Flat French style, in various designs! Peak and plain flap—gold thread-run tapestry, in dark or light tones! Moire lined, with mirror and change purse! A lovely bag for a Christmas gift! ..... 98¢

#### WOMEN'S HANDBAGS

Beautifully-fitted Bags in flat or pouch style, with zipper pocket, change purse and mirror. Novelty metal clasps or ornaments on flap. Brown, black and grey. Good colors ..... 1.49

#### CAPEKIN GLOVES

You'll need a pair of these durable Capekin Gloves! Pull-on styles with contrasting and applique trims. Beige, brown, black and grey. 6 1/2 to 7 1/2 ..... 1.29

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## Clearance of OVERCOATS

Broken ranges and odd sizes have been grouped for a sure clearance Saturday! A wide selection of sizes, styles and colors! Be here early for the best selection! 100 first quality Coats that will move quickly at this low price. Ordinarily \$20.00, for ..... \$14.95

## Harris Tweed Suits

Homespun! Handwoven! Ordinarily \$35.00! Materials produced by the crofters in their own homes—all pure wool—natural dyes. Look for the "Newall label." It's your guarantee of first quality genuine hand-woven Harris Tweed ..... \$22.50

#### Men's Silk Ties

Regular \$1.00. Every one wool lined. Full-length Ties. Big assortment ..... 50¢

#### Following Sizes Only—

	36	37	39	40	42	44	46
Regulars ..	1	3	1	1	1	1	1
Shorts ..	2			1	2		
Tails ..			1				
Stouts ..		1		2	1	2	

## English Broadcloth Shirts

Just Received! Another 90 Dozen!

HBC Shirts at a dollar have set dollar Shirt standards the last two seasons, and these are the same full bodied, finely tailored quality! Smart, dressy stripes or plain shades, in collar attached style or with two separate collars. Various sleeve lengths. Sizes 14 to 17 ..... \$1.00

**\$1.00**

3 Shirts for \$2.75  
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### EARL BEATTY UTTERS WARNING



At the British Navy League Dinner in London, shown from left to right, Lady Stanley, Lord Lloyd, Earl Beatty, and Lady Chatfield. It was at this gathering that Earl Beatty warned Great Britain that her navy was so drastically reduced that it is "insufficient on one hand to make us an attractive ally and play our part as a Great Power, and thereby to promote a restoration of international confidence, nor, on the other hand, is it sufficient to guarantee the free passage of the sea to our ships."

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## HBC GROCERIA CARRY and SAVE

SHOP HERE AND SAVE—ORDERS CARRIED TO YOUR CAR FREE DELIVERED TO YOUR HOME, 15¢

**COUPON SPECIALS**  
 ONE HOUR—8 TO 10 ONLY  
 Come Early  
 Sunlight Soap, per large carton ..... 15¢  
 (Limit 3 packets.)  
 HBC Tea, 100% Orange Pekoe Ceylon, per lb. ..... 25¢  
 Herring Salmon, Fancy Sockeye, 1/2 lb. per tin (Limit 3 tins) ..... 15¢

Milk Made Bread, white, brown or raisin, 16 oz. loaf ..... 5¢  
 Burt's British Flapjack, tin ..... 14¢  
 2 tins for ..... 27¢  
 Robin Hood Rapid Oats, large packet for (Limit 3 packets) ..... 15¢  
 Dining Car Sardines, 3 tins ..... 25¢  
 Owl Brand Matches, 3 large boxes for ..... 43¢  
 Royal Crown Cleaner, 4 tins ..... 25¢  
 Glycerine-Pumice Soap, 4 cakes, 25¢

**BUTTER! BUTTER! THE FINEST QUALITY ALWAYS!**—Cut and wrapped under the most sanitary conditions. Hudson's Creamery, bulk, lb. 24¢  
 3 lbs. for ..... 78¢  
 Imperial Sweet Cream, prints, per lb. ..... 27¢  
 3 lbs. for ..... 79¢  
 Columbia Press, size 5, 3 tins ..... 25¢  
 Royal City Brand White Corn, 3 tins for ..... 25¢  
 Shredded Wheat, large packets, 2 for ..... 19¢

**SPECIAL—9 TO 10 ONLY**  
 Side Bacon, Our Special, sliced, per lb. ..... 19¢  
 Arrshire Bacon, sliced, lb. ..... 14¢  
 Kraft or Velveeta Cheese, 1/2-lb. pkt. for ..... 13¢  
 Eggs, Grade A Pullet Extras, per dozen ..... 22¢  
 Pure "Sard", 2 lbs. for ..... 23¢  
 Bakers' ..... 10¢

## HBC SERVICE GROCERIES PHONE E 7111

All goods advertised for Thursday and Friday on sale to-morrow. Take advantage of the extremely low prices. Phone order service open at 8 a.m. and all orders taken before 12 noon will be delivered same day.

**COMBINATION MEAT SPECIAL**  
 Exceptional Value  
 3-lb. tin HBC Gold Medal Malt, light or dark; 3 lbs. Demerara Sugar, 1 large packet Dominion Maple and 3 oz. Gelaheen regular \$1.50, all for ..... \$1.59  
 Wild Rose Pastry Flour, 15-lb. sack for ..... 39¢  
 34-lb. sack for ..... 89¢  
 Robin Hood Flour, 24-lb. sack ..... 83¢  
 40-lb. sack for ..... 1.59  
 55-lb. sack for ..... 1.15

Libby's Pineapple, sliced or crushed, 7 1/2 each ..... 13¢  
 3 tins for ..... 39¢  
 Royal City Apples, 16-oz. tin, 17¢  
 3 tins for ..... 50¢  
 Empress Orange Marmalade, 4-lb. tin ..... 47¢  
 Jell-Q, Assorted Flavors, 3 packets for ..... 25¢  
 Vi-Tone, delicious malted drink, 1-lb. tin for ..... 47¢

**EXTRA SPECIAL**  
 White Quantities Last  
 Pils Green Beans, 7 1/2 per tin, 9¢  
 4 tins for ..... 35¢  
 C. & B. Condensed Soup, chicken with rice, vegetable and tomato, 3 tins for ..... 25¢  
 Heinz Cream of Mushroom Soup, 2 tins for ..... 28¢  
 Libby's All Green Asparagus, 7 1/2 per tin ..... 28¢  
 May's Peas, size 5, per tin ..... 10¢  
 2 tins for ..... 19¢  
 Tap Oranges, new shipment, finest quality, per box ..... 79¢

Sweet Grapes, 2 lbs. for ..... 25¢  
 Fancy Delicious Apples, 4 lbs. ..... 25¢  
 Fresh Cranberries, per lb. ..... 25¢  
 Golden Delicious Apples, box, \$1.55  
 Best Mixed Nuts, per lb. ..... 20¢  
 1/2-lb. Roasted Peanuts, lb. ..... 10¢  
 3 lbs. for ..... 27¢  
 New Brand Nuts, 3 lbs. for ..... 45¢  
 Filberts, 2 lbs. for ..... 45¢  
 No. 1 Walnuts, per lb. ..... 28¢  
 2 lbs. for ..... 55¢  
 Arrshire Ham, sliced, per lb. ..... 25¢  
 Peanut Butter, large jar ..... 22¢  
 Swift's Bacon, side or back, sliced, per lb. ..... 10¢  
 Cooked Ham, sliced, per lb. ..... 25¢  
 Corned Beef or Bologna Sausage, per lb. for ..... 15¢  
 Natural Cheese, per carton ..... 20¢  
 Harvest Spice Ham, 1-lb. tin ..... 35¢

**SPECIALS AT OUR BAKERY COUNTER**  
 Fresh Crumpets, 2 packets ..... 22¢  
 Genoa Cake, freshly made, 3-lb. slab for ..... 72¢  
 Ginger Bread, topped and filled with whipped cream, each ..... 29¢  
 Robertson's Assorted Cookies, 5 doz. for ..... 25¢  
 1 B. C. Assorted Cream Filled Biscuits, per lb. ..... 25¢  
 Fresh French Butter, Pure Bluebird, 1/2-lb. packet for ..... 22¢

Green Giant Tender Green Peas, extra fancy, per tin ..... 17¢  
 3 tins for ..... 50¢  
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Ganong's Chocolates, Creams, Jellies and Yucasas, delicious, fancy quality, 2 varieties to box, per lb. ..... 97¢  
 Australian Peaches, quarters, large 2 1/2 tins for ..... 26¢

**HBC QUALITY BUTTERS**  
 Sliced-Creamery, 1/2-lb. tin, 27¢  
 3 lbs. for ..... 79¢  
 B.C. Sweet Cream, prints, lb. 25¢  
 3 lbs. for ..... 82¢

## HBC QUALITY MEATS

Carry and Save!

**9 TO 10 A.M. SPECIAL!**  
 4,000 lbs. of Chuck Pot Roast, Plate Briskets, Breasts of Veal, Hocks and Heads of Pork, at, per lb. ..... 5¢

Legs and Loins of Mutton, per lb. ..... 15¢  
 Shoulders and Ribs, per lb. ..... 10¢  
 Shoulders of Young Veal, lb. ..... 12¢  
 Shoulders of Young Pork, lb. ..... 12¢  
 Prime Rib and Rump Roast Beef, per lb. ..... 15¢  
 Thick Rib Roasts, lb. ..... 12¢

—Quality Food Market, Lower Main Floor, HBC



# Renovated Playhouse Reopens To-morrow

## Many Improvements Make Veteran House Smart New Theatre

New Spring Seats, Carpets, Rugs and Latest Screen and Sound Equipment Promise Patrons Entertainment Under Delightful Circumstances; New Decorations

To-morrow at noon the Playhouse Theatre on Yates Street will re-open its doors as one of the smartest and most comfortable entertainment places in Victoria. During the last month the theatre has been entirely redecorated and refurnished and is vastly different from the theatre that closed its door thirty days ago. A new picture, entitled "Ladies They Talk About," with Barbara Stanwyck in the leading role will be the first to be shown with the new sound equipment.

Painters and decorators are to-day busy with last minute touches, preparatory to the formal opening to-morrow. Manager B. J. Dawson, who has been in personal charge of the redecoration programme, said to-day he was greatly pleased with his theatre and was optimistic about its future success. It will be operated at popular prices and pictures will be shown continuously from noon until 11 o'clock at night. There are seats for 700 persons.

**IMPROVEMENTS**  
New seats, with special springs, and

all nicely upholstered in blue plush, have been installed. A new floor has been laid and covered with thick sound-proof rugs. Battleship linoleum, in an attractive design covers the main lobby and the inside vestibules. New doors, with leaded-glass have been hung to connect the lobby with the main body of the theatre, while smart new oak doors have been put on the outside of the theatre.

The long balconies, which formerly stretched along both sides of the walls, from the main balcony to the stage, have been removed, giving the theatre a much more modern and attractive appearance. The main balcony has been finished in a pleasing design and the walls are smart with a new type of wall board, which is divided into panels. New lighting fixtures grace both the walls and the ceiling. On the walls are tiny pink lights, in small brackets, while from the ceiling hang handsome and massive fixtures. Lamps with attractive parchment shades are placed here and there about the theatre.

**OFFICIALS HERE**  
Officials of the Northern Electric Company and the Empire Agencies Limited of Vancouver, are in Victoria in connection with the installation of the new sound equipment and instruments in the projection room, which has been raised so that people walking in the balcony will not throw their shadows on the screen. J. R. Bain and A. F. Jackson have come over to install the sound equipment and E. E. Harris and Jack Mawson are working on the projection room installations. In the projection room are Hall and Connelly high intensity arc lamps, with Simplex machines, the latter featuring rear shutters. The generator

is a Hertner product. All machinery is the latest and the best screening possible is promised.

**LIKE RADIO CITY**

The new screen installed on the stage is the most modern in the west. It is similar to those used in the new theatres in Radio City, New York. The Northern Electric wide range sound equipment, which is revolutionizing talking pictures in the United States, has been installed at the Playhouse. It is the first such machine installed in western Canada. Seattle theatres have several, which have proved highly satisfactory.

In explaining the significance of this installation for his patrons, Manager Dawson said to-day: "Wide range is the new sound system upon which the scientists and engineers of the Bell Telephone Laboratories and the Northern Electric Company have been working for more than five years. It represents the biggest step made to date toward perfection in recording and reproducing sound in talking pictures and can be compared, in importance, only with the introduction of talking pictures themselves, as compared with silent films. From the standpoint of clarity and fidelity of sound quality, it is comparable to nothing that has been heard in talking pictures or radio to date."

**WIDER RANGE**  
"Wide range is simply what its name implies—a wider range of frequency cycles of the sounds that are capable of recording and reproduction. The best sound systems now in theatre use can reproduce only from as low as seventy-five cycles to as high as 5,000 cycles. While this corresponds to all the notes of a standard eighty-eight piano keyboard, with the exception of some notes at the low end, it still falls short of all the notes that are practical for hearing by the human ear. The result is that in musical numbers or orchestral renditions and sound effects, many notes and instruments have all been blotted out of talking pictures by this limitation of the talking picture frequency range. Likewise, extremely high sounds and whistles, have had to be voiced at an unnatural level to be recorded and reproduced. This has meant that accompanying dialogue has been either seemed distorted or has been unnaturally pitched."

"The installation at the Playhouse Theatre involves a considerable expense, marking, as it does, the highest peak attained in steady research and experimental work toward sound quality perfection that has been going on ever since talking pictures were first introduced in 1926. One of the most important intervening steps was the introduction of noiseless recording in 1930. This innovation eliminated the extraneous noises and surface scratching from talking pictures. Wide range covers the entire process of recording and reproducing, bringing to life an entirely new quality of sound and marking the success of a half decade of intensive laboratory and manufacturing experiments and field tests to perfect it."

## MATE CAPTURES BOWIE CLASSIC

Veteran Thoroughbred Runs Great Race to Head Field in Holiday Handicap

Bowie, Md., Dec. 1.—Running one of the greatest races in his career, before some 15,000 spectators, Mate, the five-year-old of Albert C. Bostwick, ended his American campaign yesterday with a handy victory in the \$2,415 Thanksgiving Handicap.

The racing of the Bostwick horse yesterday recalled the days when he won the Preakness, the American Derby and the classic at Arlington Park. His owner said he would be shipped to England about the middle of December, after receiving a cup and a piece of plate for the victory. Mate responded to the touch of Jockey Meade as they pounded into the back stretch, passed Mrs. J. D. Hertz's Watch Him, answered the challenge of W. R. Coe's Oculator, and then pulled out to win by two and a half lengths from Watch Him, who was four lengths in front of J. R. Buchanan's Chalmers, a field horse.

The Thanksgiving Handicap featured the final programme of the Bowie meet, which closed the Maryland racing season.

## PRINCETON TO TAKE ON YALE

Crash To-morrow in U.S. Football Classic; Army Favored Over Notre Dame

New York, Dec. 1.—The east, with two of its classics in the Army-Notre Dame and Yale-Princeton duels, dominates the programme for United States football's virtual finale to-morrow.

The south, where Duke's undefeated and untied record will be at stake in a clash with Georgia Tech, and the far west, where Southern California's Trojans take their stand against Georgia, offer some competition, but power lies the accent will be on activities in the Yankee Stadium and the Yale Bowl.

Both Army and Princeton, sharing with Duke the honor of being the sole remaining major eleven with perfect records, will start in the favorites role.

Princeton's chances against Yale look fair. Army will be decided against a Notre Dame outfit that so far has been able to beat only two teams.

## RANKINE WINS KEEN VICTORY

Driving Finish Gives Canadian Win in Berwick Marathon; Zabala Forced Out

Berwick, Pa., Dec. 1.—Robert Rankine, Preston, Ont., yesterday won the twenty-fourth annual Berwick marathon in a driving finish in the last half mile that carried him sixty feet ahead of Lou Gregory, New York.

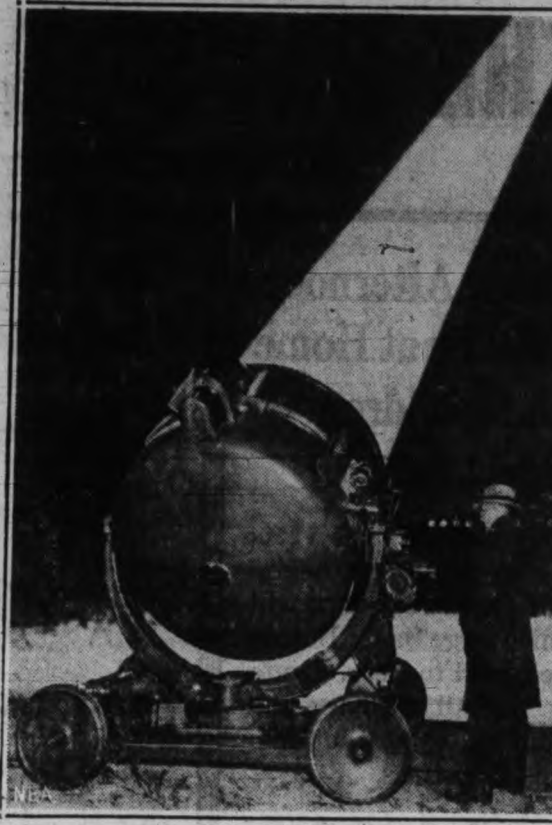
The two men matched strides on even terms for eight and a half miles of the mountainous nine-mile course, running abreast most of that distance. Joe Mundy, Philadelphia, was third, and John Kelley, Arlington, Mass., was fourth.

Juan Zabala, twenty-one-year-old Olympic champion from Argentina, who started in the Berwick marathon yesterday but dropped out after 300 yards, was forced to quit because of an upset stomach condition and weakness.

Zabala was stricken ill during the night and since then has been unable to hold food in his stomach. He is not confined to bed, however.

**AUSTRALIAN CRICKET**  
Brisbane, Australia, Dec. 1.—A sparkling 102 by Brew featured the opening

## A FINGER OF LIGHT 100 MILES LONG!



When the U.S. Army throws light on searching problems henceforth it will be with a Sperry 800,000,000 candlepower searchlight—the world's most powerful. The light, pictured here in operation, has a sixty-inch lens and a beam visible for more than 100 miles. The army has ordered 164 of them.

ing day's play of the cricket match between Queensland and Victoria to-day. At the close of play Queensland had 310 runs for nine wickets.

**U.S. DOLLAR IN LONDON**  
London, Dec. 1.—The United States dollar acted uncertainly to-day on the foreign exchange market here and closed three cents weaker at \$5.20 1/2, to the pound sterling. Early selling weakened the rate from \$5.20 1/4 to the pound to \$5.25 1/2. Covering orders brought a partial recovery.

**LONDON GOLD PRICE**  
Montreal, Dec. 1.—The price of bar gold in London to-day was \$32.10 an ounce in terms of the Canadian dollar, based on the London equivalent of 128 3/4 and the quotation of sterling in Montreal at \$5.12 1/2. Yesterday the Canadian equivalent was \$31.85.

## Hudson's Bay Company

We are glad to associate ourselves with the refurnishing of The Playhouse and wish the management every success when it opens to-morrow (Saturday).

## Congratulations To Playhouse Theatre

We are proud to be selected to supply and install the latest in theatre equipment

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Heywood-Wakefield Theatre Chairs  
Simplex Fireproof Machines  
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Hall Connelly Hilo Arc Lamps  
Automatic Rewinders  
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## QUICK VICTORY

Detroit, Dec. 1.—Jack Reynolds, welterweight wrestling champion of the world, defeated Pat Finnegan, England, in less than three minutes, in a title match here yesterday evening by using an airplane spin. Reynolds weighed 155 and Finnegan 145.

## California Tourney Draws Golf Stars

San Francisco, Dec. 1.—Officials in charge of the fourth annual San Francisco national match play open golf championship, to be played here in January, announced to-day the entire list would be the largest and most representative in the history of the tournament.

The field will be headed by such stars as Walter Hagen, Craig Wood, Paul Runyan, Horton Smith and Denny Shute and "Wiffy" Cox. Among other entries are those from Bobby Cruickshank, Al Watrous, Harry Cooper, Willie Goggin, Mortie and Olin Dutra, Al Espinosa, Joe Kirkwood, Johnny Perelli, John Battini and John Dawson.

## U.S. FOOTBALL

Results of major football games in the United States yesterday follow:  
William and Mary 6, Richmond 0.  
Virginia 0, North Carolina 14.  
St. John's (Annapolis) 13, Johns Hopkins 0.

Carnegie Tech 0, Pitt 16.  
Missouri 0, Kansas 27.  
Oklahoma Aggies 13, Oklahoma U. 0.  
Oregon State 0, Nebraska 22.  
Tennessee 27, Kentucky 0.  
Alabama 7, Vanderbilt 0.  
Colorado Aggies 0, Utah 13.  
Kansas State 0, Texas Tech 6.  
Utah Aggies 0, Montana 26.  
Colorado 14, Denver 7.  
Oregon 13, St. Mary's 7.  
Wilberforce 33, West Virginia State 0.  
Washington State 0, University of California at Los Angeles 7.  
Trinity 6, Austin College 0.  
Colorado Teachers 8, New Mexico 0.  
Centenary 28, Loyola 12.  
Colgate 25, Brown 0.  
Cornell 20, Pennsylvania 12.  
Washington and Jefferson 2, West Virginia 7.

## The New PLAYHOUSE THEATRE

Opens TO-MORROW SATURDAY 12 Noon

Entirely Renovated

**NEW Latest Northern Electric Wide Range Sound System**  
The first of its kind in British Columbia. Talking pictures and music exactly as recorded.

**NEW Ortho-Krome Screen**  
The latest type of screen and the same as used in Radio City Theatre, New York, the world's most elaborate theatre.

**NEW SEATING ARRANGEMENT**  
Velour spring seats, spacious and comfortable; every seat has a clear view of the screen.

**NEW SHOW, First in Victoria**  
1-Barbara Stanwyck In "Ladies They Talk About"

2-Merry Melodies A Cartoon Classic

3-Private Wives A Two-part Comedy

4-Pathe News Showing All the Latest News

5-Magic Carpet Travels Around the World

6-Oddities

**NEW PROJECTION EQUIPMENT**  
Installed by the Empire Agencies, under the personal direction of Mr. E. E. Harris.

**NEW PRICES**  
12 to 2 p.m., Adults 10c  
2 to 5 p.m., Adults 15c  
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**Barbara Stanwyck At the Playhouse**

Barbara Stanwyck, recently elected the "First Lady of the Screen" in a fan poll conducted by the Chicago Tribune, is the star of a most unusual Warner Bros. picture, "Ladies They Talk About," which opens at the Playhouse Theatre to-morrow.

It is a story of women in prison—their lives—their thoughts—their hopes and loves, written by a woman who was sentenced to San Quentin prison in California, and whose experiences while serving her time have been made into this movie.

A unique attachment that blossoms into a glowing romance is unfolded. It involves the love of a stalwart young evangelist for an attractive girl bandit and prisoner in San Quentin prison.

Barbara Stanwyck plays the part of the bandit, a new type of role for her, while Preston S. Foster forsakes his evil ways in pictures, having played heavies for some time, to become her leading man, the evangelist, who eventually sweeps her off her feet with the depth of his love.

**POOR PA**  
BY CLAUDE CALLAN

"I knew Ma was mad when my dog came to meet me. He had a whipped look about him and he followed me so slowly that I could tell he dreaded to see me reach home."  
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## "THE BAY'S" GREAT PRE-CHRISTMAS SALE

Continues To-morrow With a Wonderful Line-up of Special Bargains!



To-morrow Afternoon  
Santa Will Be at Home  
to the Children  
in Toyland, 3rd Floor

To every boy and girl who visits him to-morrow afternoon, beginning at half-past two, Santa will present a nice large Santa Button you will be proud to wear. Santa wants to see you all, so come along and tell him what you want him to bring this Christmas.

**Ticket Holders for the Capitol Theatre Show To-morrow Morning**

Please remember—BLUE tickets for the first performance at 9.15. RED tickets for the second performance, 10.45.



**NOW IN FULL SWING!**

Santa Claus will be here after the Capitol Theatre Entertainment, at 2.30, to meet his little friends, so follow the crowds to "The Bay" Toyland! Loads of new and attractive toys, games, dolls and wheel goods!

All toys are divided into sections, for your convenience, with a capable salesperson in charge familiar with all goods!

### Wheel Goods

Tricycles, Wagons, Scooters, Cycles, Doll Carriages, Prams, Autos, etc.

### Doll Section

Full range of Dolls, Dogs, Bears, Bassinets, etc.

### Games

A wonderful range of Games from such well-known makers as Roberts, Spears, etc.

### Furniture

Desks, Chairs, Table and Chair Sets, Blackboards, Beds, etc.

### Meccanos and Trains

Full range of Meccano Sets, Electric Trains, Wind-up Trains, etc.

### Mechanical

Trucks, Cars, Mice, Tops, and a host of other mechanical toys.

### Miscellaneous

Tree Ornaments, Chemistry Sets, Musical Instruments, Educational Toys, Blocks, Building Sets, Novelties, and many more.

### Games 10c

From England's leading makers—Roberts Brothers! Choice of many games and all packed in large attractive boxes. Here are a few: Parcheesi, Halma, Checkers and Board, Snakes and Ladders, Blow Football, Motor Race, Post Office, Fish Pond, etc.

### Toy Tea Sets

**35c**

A dandy little set, all packed in attractive box. Here is your chance to provide the young folks with a real set of Dishes that they can use and keep themselves!

### Kiddies' Doll Sulkies

Made of strong and durable metal, finished in black enamel, with thin yellow trim. Washable finish! Fine for little mothers!

**75c**

### Hoover Sweepers

Just like mother's! Finish and detail exactly like the original. A wonderful play value for mother's little helper.

**49c**

### Tinker Toys

Famous all over Canada as being the ideal educational set for boys and girls. Many models can be built with this set.

**69c**

### Special Purchase! Baby Dolls

A very fortunate purchase and plenty of time for little mothers to make clothes before Christmas! Full unbreakable composition body, good size, life-like expression, and a really wonderful value! Only 100, to shop early to avoid disappointment.

**49c**

### Pool Tables

Wonderful selection to suit all ages—each comes with two cues, balls, mallet, etc. Table models, \$1.25, \$1.49 and \$1.69. Leg models, \$5.95 and \$6.95.

### Magician Sets

What is more fun than to give the family a real show by your magic? Each set contains many new tricks, with directions supplied. Your choice at 35c, 59c, \$1.50 and \$2.50.

### Gymnastic Sets for Boys and Girls

Not only fun but a health developer! Every father and mother wants healthy children—here's your opportunity at a low price!

**95c**

—Third Floor, H.B.C.

### Pre-Christmas Savings in Children's Wear

**Berets, Each 50c**



Novelty felt cloth Berets, in smart styles and colors, for girls of all ages, at this exceptionally low price! Regulation Berets, winter colors, Canadian made **79c**. French Imported Basque Berets, **85c**. Mata Hari Berets, in two smart styles at **85c**. Clever Knitted Turbans, imported from England **\$1.95**. —Millinery Dept., H.B.C.

### 120 Girls' Rayon Gift Sets

These attractive sets are boxed in Christmas boxes, ready for giving, and consist of lace-trimmed Vests and Bloomers. Shown in white, flesh, maize, peach and green. Sizes 8 to 14 years. **79c**

### Girls' Dressing Gowns

Made of beacon cloth, in a good assortment of patterns, and trimmed with silk cord. Rose, blue, green, maize and sand. Sizes 8 to 14 years. **\$1.95**

### Girls' English Jersey Dresses

Smart little Pantie Frocks, some in two-piece styles, others with touches of smocking! Sand, green and yellow. Specially priced at **\$1.50**

**Girls' Wool Sweaters \$1.95**

**Wool Baby Sets \$1.00**

Lacy weave and Viennese Sweaters, finely knit, with turn-back collars. Good assortment of colors. Sizes 8 to 14 years. Regularly priced at \$2.95. Specially priced!

Adorable Wool Baby Sets, in three pieces, consisting of pullover, pants and beret. Colors include pink and blue! Specially priced! —Second Floor, H.B.C.



### Girls' Silk and Wool Hose 3 Pairs for \$1.00

Straight-leg Misses' Hose, well reinforced at all points of strain, in pepper and white, sand and white or beige and white. Sizes 7 to 8.

### Children's Half Socks

All-wool and Silk and Wool Socks, in sizes 6 to 8½. Fawn, white, pink and sky. Formerly 39c and 49c. Per pair **25c**

### Girls' Oxfords and Slippers \$2.19

Splendid-wearing Oxfords and Strap Slippers, in black and brown calf, and also patent leathers. Made over foot-form lasts, suitable for growing feet. Narrow and wide fittings. Sizes 6 to 2.

### Chums Oxfords for Boys \$2.98

Black Calf Oxfords, Blueherent style—just like Dad's! Leather soles and rubber heels—sizes 11 to 2.



—Main Floor, H.B.C.

### Parcel Wrapping Facilities Mezzanine Floor

For your convenience is provided a wrapping desk, where paper and twine may be obtained free of charge—next to the Post Office, Mezzanine Floor.

### 600 Pcs. Rayon Lingerie

One of the notable values of our Pre-Christmas Sale! Better quality Rayon Lingerie, including Pyjamas in pastel shades or gay combination colors, motif-trimmed Vests and Bloomer Sets, tailored and lace-trimmed Gowns, built-up strap Slips! All sizes in each style. Ordinarily \$1.25 to \$1.95.

**36 only, Glove Silk Gift Gowns, Regular \$2.95 and \$3.95. \$1.98**

**28 only, Harvey Rayon Pyjamas, regular \$2.95, for \$1.98**

**45 only, Harvey Rayon Panties, regular \$1.25 and \$1.50, for 89c**

**72 only, Glove Silk Vests, Panties and Bloomers, regular \$1.00 and \$1.25, for 69c**

**60 only, Crepe de Chine Gift Sets and Teddies \$1.69**

**16 only, Crepe de Chine Pyjamas, regular \$4.95, for \$2.95**



### 300 Women's Wool Vests, Bloomers and Panties

Held in reserve for our Pre-Christmas Sale! An exceptional value in Women's Flat Knit Botany Wool Undies, Vest, with built up straps, Bloomers and Cuffed Knee Panties. Cream and pink shades. All sizes. Ordinarily \$1.00 value, for **79c**

**60 Women's All-wool Combinations, knee length with built-up straps, \$1.20**

—Second Floor, H.B.C.

### Gift Slippers Sale Priced!



#### WOMEN'S SLIPPERS

All Crepe Slippers in Blue, Red and Black. Black Crepe trimmed with Green or Rose Maribou. Felt Juliet Slippers with heavy fur trim! Dozens of styles—sizes 3 to 8 **\$1.69**

#### WOMEN'S "PACKARD" SLIPPERS

Leather Boudoir Slippers in shades of Red, Blue, Green and Black, with flexible elk leather soles and Cuban heels. Sizes 3 to 8 **\$1.95**

#### MEN'S "PACKARD" SLIPPERS

Red, Blue, Brown and Black leathers, with elk soles and rubber heels. Splendid wearing and ideal comfort shoes. Sizes 6 to 11 **\$1.69**

#### MEN'S "ROMEO" SLIPPERS

Soft Black and Brown Kid Romeo Slippers, with elastic side section and flexible leather soles and rubber heels. Sizes 6 to 11 **\$2.50**

#### GIRLS' FELT SLIPPERS

Red and Blue Felt Slippers, with padded elk soles and heels. One-strap and Everett styles—all sizes to 2 **69c**

### Buy Gift Hosiery Now!

At These Special Low Prices!

### Light Service-weight Silk Hose

With neat-fitting ankles and well-reinforced feet, made of fine texture silk. Smart in appearance—right in weight! All new shades, and all sizes **69c**

### Heavy Service-weight Hose

A durable Hose that stands extra hard wear! Heels and soles reinforced. Good fitting and good look **98c**

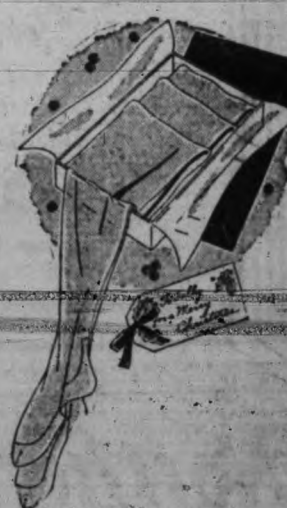
**2 Pairs for \$1.90**

### Silk and Wool Hose

A soft Silk and Wool Hose for the chilly days, neat fitting, well reinforced and comfy. All sizes and all good shades! **49c**

**2 Pairs for 95c**

—Main Floor, H.B.C.



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Announcements

IN MEMORIAM

RICH—In loving memory of my dear husband, Ernest William Prior (Curry), who passed away December 1, 1929.

The years are quickly passing, though still we can't forget.

For in his heart he left his memory.

His memory lingers yet.

—Inscribed by his loving wife and family.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. Thos. Barton, Mrs. Alice Christopher and the Misses Alice and Bertha Davis wish to express their appreciation to the many friends and neighbors who have shown their sympathy in the loss of a loving wife, sister and mother.

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## SAYS HOLDERS CAN COLLECT

Financial Authority Asserts Premium Payable on Bonds With Sterling Clause

Toronto, Dec. 1.—The Financial Post says: Since the pound sterling has advanced above par in Canada, demand for "three-payment" bonds, on which the investor may collect interest and principal in pounds sterling or in American or Canadian dollars, has been improving. Some misunderstanding of the three-payment clause has arisen, however, because it is almost twenty years since it has been substantially worth while for Canadian investors to take advantage of the sterling payment privilege.

The three-payment clause usually states that principal and interest payable "in gold coin of the Dominion of Canada or the United States of America, or in sterling at \$4.86 2-3 to the pound." Or it may merely be "payable in gold coin of the Dominion of Canada or the United States of America, or in pounds sterling." In the latter case, there can be no misunderstanding that the bondholder is entitled to sterling if he wishes to take

## GOVERNMENT LIQUOR ACT

Notice of Application for Consent to Transfer of Beer License

Notice is hereby given that on the 9th day of December next, the undersigned intends to apply to the Liquor Control Board for consent to transfer of Beer License No. 2518 and issued in respect of premises being part of a building known as Half Way House, situated at 836 Esquimalt Road, Municipality of Esquimalt, upon the lands described as Lots 18 and 19, Block 2, Section 11, Map 195, Esquimalt District, except the Western 180 feet 3 inches of the said Lot 18, and the Eastern 18 feet 6 inches of the said Lot 19, Victoria Land Registration District, in the Province of British Columbia, from George Herbert Patton to Andrew D. and George Herbert Patton, of 748 Yates Street, Victoria, B.C., and 730 Bowley Place, Victoria, B.C., respectively, the transfer of which is dated at Victoria, B.C., this 11th day of November, 1933.

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## Where To Go To-night

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it and in the case where sterling is payable "at \$4.86 2-3 to the pound" there is really no difference.

EXPRESSION EXPLAINED  
The expression "at \$4.86 2-3" has given some bondholders the impression that they cannot collect more in dollars than the par value of sterling. That impression is apparently incorrect.

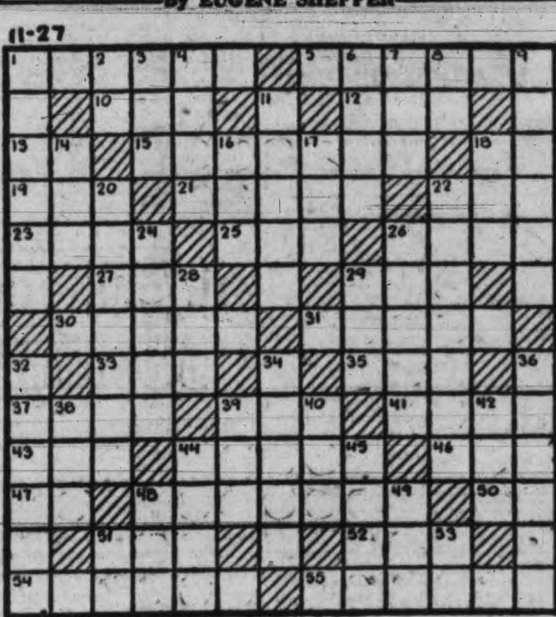
The explanation of this phrase in the payment clause, according to dealers, is that it is largely one of convenience for the issuing dealer in Canada. It was formerly the practice to issue three-payment bonds with the amounts inscribed on the security in both pounds sterling and in dollars. That is, a coupon would bear two inscriptions, say, \$25 and £5 2s 9d. The sterling figure, of course, is merely the equivalent of \$25 at par of exchange, \$4.86 2-3. So all the investor had to do, if it were profitable, was to ask for five pounds, two shillings and nine pence, when he cashed his coupon. Or he could take the equivalent in dollars and, therefore, get the benefit of any premium on sterling exchange.

Now, the more modern sterling payment clause really means the same thing as the former one. Only instead of inscribing both the sterling and dollar amounts on the coupons and on the bonds, only the dollar amount is shown.

The phrase "at \$4.86 2-3" merely signifies the rate of exchange by which the dollar amount on the coupon should be divided to ascertain the number of pounds sterling due on the coupon. Therefore, a coupon for \$25, divided by \$4.86 2-3 becomes £5 2s 9d, and you have approximately \$25.50 for the coupon. However, investors must make a deduction of five per cent for Dominion Government income tax, since the sterling premium went over five per cent. Nevertheless, there is an exchange increment to be gained from sterling-payment coupons as long as the pound remains above \$4.86 2-3 in Canada. And the tax is not payable unless the pound rises above \$5.11, which represents an exchange premium of approximately five per cent for sterling.

## Today's Cross-Word Puzzle

By EUGENE SHEFFER



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## Professors Advocate U.S. Gold Standard

Associated Press  
Swarthmore, Pa., Dec. 1.—With a warning that President Roosevelt's monetary policy is moving toward inflation of "alarmingly" proportion, eleven social science professors of Swarthmore College urge immediate return by the United States to the gold standard, "although not necessarily with a dollar of the former gold content."

In a statement which they asserted was not "issued on behalf of Wall Street," but on behalf of the small income receivers, the savants said the present monetary policy of the United States administration would discredit its other programmes.

## JOBS FOR MANY IN UNITED STATES

Associated Press  
Washington, Dec. 1.—The United States civil works administration announced today that "approximately 1,250,000" were put on the civil works payroll during the first week of operation.

## Colds That Hang On

Don't let them get a strangle hold. Fight them quickly. Coughs and colds are the 7 best help known to modern science. Powerful but harmless. Pleasant to take. No narcotics. Your own druggist is authorized to refund your money on the spot if your cough or cold is not relieved by Cough-Lo.

## "THE MIKADO" THIS EVENING

Gilbert and Sullivan Opera Will Be Presented at 8.15 o'clock

This evening at 8.15 o'clock members of the Victoria Operatic Society will offer to a first-night audience their interpretation of Gilbert and Sullivan's famous comic opera, "The Mikado," at the Royal Victoria Theatre. The performance will be repeated again to-morrow evening.

Since the first of October members of the society have been rehearsing for this production.

The costumes and scenery are outstanding. The ladies of the chorus, who appear in two numbers display picturesque kimonos, and the formal culture of old-time Japan.

Prominent citizens who have lent their patronage to "The Mikado" include Premier and Mrs. Pattullo, Mayor and Mrs. Leeming, Dr. E. F. Tolmie and Mrs. Leonard Andrews, Miss Kathleen Agnew, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. Alan McKillop, Sir Frank and Lady Barnard, Mrs. Walter C. Niehoff, Dr. and Mrs. Herman Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Cameron, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Sampson, Mrs. Eve Baird and Mr. E. C. Nicholson.

## "I Was a Spy" Opens To-morrow

Visiting the English Boulders when "I Was a Spy" coming to the Capitol Theatre to-morrow, was being filmed, C. A. Legume had lunch with Victor Saville and the stars. She describes it thus: "We sat down and ate in the train. We ate wrapped salads and cold chicken in the carriage marked 'Nach Paris.' Someone—I don't know who—suggested that 'Nach Lyons' would be a better name. I talked to Victor Saville about scenarios, to Donald Calthrop about burlesque pantomime, to Madeleine Carroll about a modern treatment of the Mary Queen of Scots story, to May Agate about the days when our Manchester schools played one another at tennis, and to Eva Moore about the virtues of patience and philosophy taught by the cinema and the difficulty of keeping black grease paint on your teeth."

## Musical Film Coming Monday

Two hundred and fifty girls were engaged by Busby Berkeley for his amazing dance ensembles in "Footlight Parade," the big Warner Brothers musical picture at the Dominion Theatre Monday.

These production numbers are supplied with music by two teams of song writers, one of them Harry Warren and Al Dubin, the other Sammy Fain and Irving Kahal. The "Honeymoon Hotel" number makes use of a large chorus, with Ruby Keeler and Dick Powell as principals. In "Shanghai Lil" Jimmy Cagney dances and sings for the first time since he came to the screen from Broadway. Ruby Keeler is his partner in this number.

EMPIRE THEATRE  
The Empire Theatre again presents light musical comedy to-day and Saturday, when it shows Eddie Cantor in "Fanny Days." Outcry songs, beautiful choruses and Eddie Cantor go to make "Fanny Days" a real show. Also being shown on the same programme is Mary Pickford with Reginald Denny in "Kiki."

COLUMBIA THEATRE  
One of the most sensational scenes in any western drama is shown in "Strawberry Roan" now playing at the Columbia Theatre. Ken Maynard is the star. In this scene Taran, Ken's famous Palomino mount, battles the strawberry roan, the equine villain of the picture—and soundly trounces him. Taran the wonder horse will do almost anything his master orders.

DOMINION THEATRE  
A drama that packs emotional punches into every scene is offered in "Stage Mother," which features Alice Brady in a leading role in the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer production at the Dominion Theatre.

The picture, filmed from an original story by Bradford Ropes, author of "42nd Street," is a vivid presentation of the heartbreaking ambition that causes "stage mothers" to drive their children to success in the theatre. Skillfully blended into the drama are many light touches of sparkling comedy. In the role of the ambitious mother, Alice Brady scores another personal triumph that is even more notable than her portrayal in "When Ladies Meet."

CAPITOL THEATRE  
Charles Laughton raised his own beard to play the role of the king in "The Private Life of Henry VIII." Curiously enough, it grew of its own accord in the design worn by England's greatest monarch, and required practically no barbering to make Laughton resemble almost identically Holbein's famous portrait of Henry VIII.

This comedy of a king's life with many wives is the attraction to-day at the Capitol Theatre, produced by London Films and released by United Artists.

## To-day's Birthdays

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 1  
Jackie Ruddle, Douglas Street, Saanich (4).  
Arthur Lloyd Yates, 58 Cadillac Avenue, Victoria (14).  
Myra Kathleen Baldwin, 782 Topaz Avenue, Victoria (6).  
Mary Elizabeth Ricketts.

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GERALD du MAURIER  
MICKEY MOUSE in Mickey's Steeplechase  
USUAL PRICES  
Laurel and Hardy IN "DIRTY WORK"

Beaufort Road, Sidney (14).  
Betty Aitken, 945 Seaview Avenue, Victoria (10).  
Hazel Ainsworth, Elizabeth Street, Alberni (14).  
Phyllis Biles, 2915 Admirals Road, Saanich (12).  
John Edward Hewlett, Sasenos (2).  
Gordon Charles Moore, 3160 Albina Street, Victoria (1).  
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## BIG RECEPTION FOR OLD SANTA

Three Thousand Children to Welcome Him at Capitol Theatre To-morrow

Santa Claus will make his first appearance in Victoria to-morrow morning when nearly 3,000 children are expected to greet him at the Capitol Theatre. The reception which is being arranged by the Hudson's Bay Company, is to take the form of an entertainment in which the pupils of Miss Violet Fowkes, assisted by Miss Barbara Groves, Arthur Groves and Ernie Inpitt will present a playlet entitled "Santa Claus' Christmas Party."

Two uproariously funny talks depicting the adventures of Mickey Mouse and the invincible Mickey Maguire will precede the play. The feature of the entertainment will be the arrival of Santa Claus who has already been in touch with hundreds of children by means of the long-distance radiophone.

## TWO PERFORMANCES

There will be two performances on Saturday morning, the first at 9:15 and the second at 10:30. Parents are requested to see that the children are given the right-colored tickets for the respective performances. The blue tickets are for the first performance and the red tickets for the second.

The management of the Hudson's Bay Company intimates that Santa Claus will be at home to the children in "The Bay" Toyland to-morrow afternoon and each day until Christmas.

## SCOUTS GIVEN FINE WELCOME

Local Delegation Attends Big Convention in Seattle

After accompanying the delegation of eighty-six Victoria and Island Boy Scouts to the patrol leaders' convention in Seattle, Major J. Wise, the district commissioner returned this morning.

The local boys received a wonderful welcome in the Sound City, said Major Wise, and every indication was given that the convention will be a great success. He inspected the boys before they left.

Seventeen island troops are represented at the gathering as follows:

Third Victoria, eight scouts; St. Mary's, four scouts; North Quadra, five scouts; St. Paul's, three scouts; First Cathedral, seven scouts; St. Louis, four scouts; St. Saviour's, four scouts; Tox H. one scout; Sidney, six scouts; Cathedral Choir, four scouts; Cadboro Bay Sea Scouts, nine scouts; St. Matthew's, eight scouts; St. Mark's, four scouts; Chemainus Japanese troop, six scouts; Nanaimo, one scout; Duncan, two scouts, and seven Rover scouts.

## Do You Know?

How the English expression "gamp," meaning an umbrella, derived its name? Answer: Gamp is a colloquial of gingham, meaning striped or checked cotton with which umbrellas were once covered. Derived from the Dutch Malay word, "gamping," meaning cotton fabric.

To-morrow Saturday, Stevenson's book store will serve Roast Chicken from 10 to 12. Candy special, Realpolitik. For only 10¢ per 1/2 lb.

Do you know that the word "gamp" is an umbrella, and that it is entirely different from "gamp" which appears Monday in Stevenson's Chocolate Shop, 725 Yates or 1119 Douglas Sts.

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## NEWS IN BRIEF

D. W. F. Maunsell and Alderman J. D. Hunter were guests of the Real Estate Board at its luncheon to-day.

The Saanich Council yesterday evening accepted an offer from J. C. Price of \$109.42 for a lot near Mount Tolmie.

Payment of general and relief accounts for November, totaling \$4,622, was authorized by the Saanich Council yesterday evening.

R. R. F. Sewell was named returning officer for the municipal election in Saanich on January 13 by the municipal council yesterday evening.

Notice of plebiscites on the sale of beer by the glass at Agassiz and Salmon Arm is given in to-day's B.C. Gazette. The vote will be taken December 14.

Appointment of Hugh N. MacCormick as a member of the Senate of the University of British Columbia until April, 1936, is announced in The B.C. Gazette to-day.

Nomination papers for the civic elections were filed with the returning officer to-day by Edward Williams, candidate for alderman, and John Wood, candidate for school trustee.

John L. Swales yesterday evening applied to the Saanich Council to have the name of Knowe Road in Ward Five changed. The new name was left to the municipal clerk to decide.

On Monday evening at 6:30 o'clock the monthly supper meeting of the Fairfield Church Men's Club will be held, when Dr. G. B. Switzer will speak on "The Church and Economic and Social Progress."

Wendell Bonnar, Canteen Road, sustained a minor scalp wound when his car went off Esquimalt Road after striking a bump near Head Street and passed through a fence yesterday evening, according to an Esquimalt police report.

Ward One Liberal Association will hold another popular dance in the Royal Room, corner of Government and Broughton Streets, this evening, from 8 till 11:30. A popular orchestra will be in attendance, and a tombola held.

Members of the Victoria and District Cornish Association will hold a card party at the home of Mrs. F. J. Edmonds, 1454 Grant Street, on Saturday, December 2, at 8 o'clock. All members and friends are welcome. Following the cards, a social invitation is extended to a musical and refreshments.

The Victoria Real Estate Board at its luncheon in Spencer's dining room to-day observed a silent tribute to the memory of the late Sir Arthur Currie and ordered a message of condolence forwarded to Lady Currie and her children.

Building permits to the total value of \$23,000 were issued in the city during November as compared with a total of \$10,000 last year. Included in the month's permits was one of \$6,000 for renovation of the Playhouse Theatre.

Adjutant Sharp will give an illustrated lecture in the Salvation Army Social Hall, 522 Lower Johnson Street, to-night, at 7 o'clock, when lantern and moving pictures of travel will be shown on the screen. Major Fullerton will preside, and a cordial invitation is extended to any desiring to spend an interesting hour.

In a case arising out of an alleged attack on Robert Wilkinson, aged fifteen years, 3142 Irma Street, who suffered fractured ribs, Samuel Haylock and Reginald Howard were found guilty in the Saanich Police Court yesterday afternoon of assault occasioning actual bodily harm. They were each fined \$20 or ten days.

Ward Three Saanich Conservative Association held its annual meeting yesterday evening at Hobbs Road Hotel, Cadboro Bay. The election of officers resulted as follows: Hon. president, Dr. S. F. Toimle; president, G. W. Carr; vice-president, Mrs. E. W. Darcus; secretary-treasurer, W. T. Walker; secretary-treasurer, E. J. Harwood.

Two years out from Germany Alfred Millman to-day went before Judge Lammiman in court and told him he wanted to become a Canadian. Donald J. McLean and John William Lauder Doubleday testified in favor of Mr. Millman. The judge will send his recommendation on to the Secretary of State.

H. Matthews was awarded judgment against William Campbell in the mortgage suit heard by Judge Lammiman under the text of the judgment now made available in the court. Matthews, with H. W. Davey as his lawyer, sued both Mr. Campbell and L. Jones, who were defended by Norman W. Whitaker and E. H. M. Foot, respectively. The evidence was that Campbell borrowed from Mr. Matthews on mortgage. Then Mr. Campbell sold the property to Mr. Jones, on the understanding Mr. Jones was to assume the mortgage. The judge pointed out that Mr. Campbell's defence lay against Mr. Jones.

## THIRTY-FIVE-YEAR OLD BILL LOCATED

Reginans are not the only people who can hang on to their money for a long time, according to Tony Radford, mail car driver for The Victoria Daily Times.

Mr. Radford noticed an item in the paper the other day about a \$1 bill of 1898 vintage appearing in Regina. This morning he produced a bill of the same year in The Times office. It was issued by the Dominion of Canada and bears the signature of the Earl of Aberdeen, K.T., G.C.M.G., who was governor-general of Canada at that time, and of Lady Aberdeen. The bill showed little sign of wear though it was issued thirty-five years ago.

## PUTS INJUNCTION ON POLE DEALING

William Bulman of Salt Spring Island through his lawyer, J. R. McKellar, to-day was granted an injunction against Joseph Leutman, also of Salt Spring, to prevent him from disposing of a quantity of poles now piled in the Canadian National yards at Sidney.

The poles are from Mr. Bulman's property and they have not been paid for. Mr. McKellar told the court, "This injunction is the only way we have of protecting ourselves."

"The poles are yours yet and you are entitled to the injunction," said the judge.

## FORTY-FOUR HOUR WEEK PLAN

Public Works Executive Studies Proposal For Outside Civic Staff

Adoption of the five-day week with eight-hour day for all outside civic employees is being studied by the executive of the public works committee as a means of restoring to this group part of the wage slash effected in the City Council's economy programme of the last two years. It was learned this morning.

Mayor Leeming, Alderman John Worthington and Walter Luney, who compose the executive, have discussed the matter with G. M. Irwin, the city engineer, and Alex. McDonald, the superintendent of works and may make a recommendation to the council shortly.

The men are now employed seven hours a day for five days a week under the part-time system adopted earlier in the year. They are paid at the rate of 48 cents an hour so that if the eight-hour day were adopted they would receive an extra \$2.40 a week.

**HARDEST HIT**  
This group of civic employees was the hardest hit in the civic economy moves, since they not only suffered a reduction in wages, but also had their working time cut down. The proposal to alter the schedule would partially restore the cuts.

Alderman Worthington and Luney are generally in accord with the mayor's views in this respect which embody the fixing of a permanent policy for a "skeleton crew" on this basis, which may be augmented when any large undertakings are necessary. This policy was laid down early in the year.

**COST OF CHANGE**  
The city controller, D. A. Macdonald, has been asked to study the effect on the proposed change on the cost of operation, as the plan would be a factor in compilation of the 1934 budget.

In discussing the matter this morning, the Mayor paid a sincere compliment to the handling of the public works department by Mr. Irwin and Mr. McDonald, both of whom have taken over their posts within the last eighteen months. Despite the reductions in staff and wages forced by economy measures, the department has operated efficiently, he said.

## WANT NATIONAL STATION HERE

Real Estate Board Urged to Support Move For Chain Broadcasting Link

Wholehearted support of the City Council's move to have Victoria's broadcasting station improved and have the capital city linked with the Canadian Radio Commission's national hook-up was urged by R. H. Shanks at a meeting of the Real Estate Board in Spencer's dining-room to-day.

Alderman J. D. Hunter, sponsor of the motion which was brought before the council, attended the luncheon and spoke briefly.

The board referred the matter to the executive for consideration and will also discuss a suggestion to circulate local organizations with a view to having them endorse the move and make a united appeal to the radio commission for a station in the city.

Mr. Shanks explained his plan was to have organizations of the city get behind Alderman Hunter and the City Council in their move to have the station improved. He felt the council should be commended for its action and should be publicly supported.

Mr. Shanks said he had no criticism of the management of CPCL, as he realized the local station was operating at its best under the circumstances. He felt something could be done with a united movement. Under the present system, if radio fans wanted to hear a Canadian Radio Commission programme, it was necessary to tune in on Vancouver or Calgary, he said.

**NOT A CRITIC**  
Alderman Hunter at the outset made it clear he was not a critic of the operation of the present station. He pointed out the radio commission had power to establish a chain station anywhere and regulate control of its power. He stressed the fact that establishing a station here would mean no extra cost to the taxpayer as the operation of the station would be paid for by the commission's income, which last year amounted to well over \$1,000,000.

The leading public men of the province resided in Victoria, the capital, he said, but when they wanted to make a public statement they usually went to Vancouver to speak over one of the mainland stations as it was impossible to hear the Victoria station in Vancouver.

Detective Sergeant W. A. MacBrayne of 405 Duncannon Street, Victoria, suffered two broken ribs and badly lacerated his back when his horse fell on him while he was participating in the Provincial Police hunt for Jimmie Decker, an Indian, alleged to have killed near Alkali Lake on September 25.

Sergeant MacBrayne is reported to be recovering from his injuries at the home of Wynn Johnson at Alkali Lake. The accident occurred while Sergeant MacBrayne, with other members of the force, was securing the treacherous country for the Indian who escaped from his police escort last week.

The hunt is being relentlessly continued between Williams and Alkali Lakes. English Decker, brother of the fugitive and alleged confederate in the slaying, is now in custody.

## VICTORIAN HURT IN POLICE HUNT

Land at Mount Douglas Park and the northwest end of Elk Lake is now being cleared to provide picnic grounds for public use next summer, according to a report submitted yesterday to the Victoria and Saanich Beaches and Parks Committee.

## CURRIE SERVICE NEXT WEDNESDAY

The memorial service here for Sir Arthur Currie will be held in Christ Church Cathedral next Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Owing to prior engagements the Bishop and Dean of Columbia regret they will be unable to attend and the speaker for the occasion has not been chosen as yet. All public, military, and naval organizations, and ex-service men have been invited.

## Birthday Greetings Are Extended To-day To—

EDWARD W. HENLY  
CHARLES WARD  
JOHN BOORMAN

Today is the birthday of Mr. Henry, who has been nicknamed "Bobo" by his friends. He is a keen fisherman and spends a great deal of his spare time in pursuit of the wild denizens of the deep. He is also a keen football player. Mr. Henry lives at 1526 Dallas Road.

Charlie Ward, a native son of Victoria, leaves his childhood behind him to-day when he reaches his majority. He attended Oakland and Victoria High Schools. Boating and swimming are his favorite sports. He lives with his parents at 2535 Victor Street.

John Boorman, the third soda fountain clerk at Terry's Drug Store, to celebrate a birthday in the last two weeks, received congratulations from his friends yesterday. Born in Vancouver, John came to Victoria at a tender age. He attended the Monterey and Oak Bay High Schools here. Animals are his chief hobby and he has many pets at one time and another. Jack lives with his parents at 2514 Currie Avenue.

## W. H. KINSMAN IS CANDIDATE

City Alderman Will Again Offer Services For Two-year Term

Completing the list of retiring members who will seek re-election to the City Council, Alderman W. H. Kinsman announced this morning he would again be a candidate for aldermanic honors on December 14.

Mr. Kinsman is just completing his first term on the council, having been elected in December, 1931, to serve for a two-year period.

As a member of several of the important committees, Mr. Kinsman has done some effective work in this direction during his term and is a firm supporter of the present administration's efforts to economize and reduce the taxation burden on property owners.

This year he served on the finance committee, the legislative committee and the parks committee and also was one of the city's representatives on the Victoria-Saanich Parks and Beaches Committee.

Born in Victoria, Mr. Kinsman is a member of both the Native Sons of British Columbia and the Sons of the Empire. He is also a member of the Native Sons of British Columbia.

His entry into the aldermanic lists was a keen contest for council seats this year. In addition to the five seeking re-election two former members of the council will ask for support at the polls and three other candidates are in the field to date.

In the school board there was nothing further for him to do after the introduction to Grubb and Company.

## MARKET NOTES

A considerable assortment of fruit arrived to-day, and is now under distribution to retailers. The shipment included bananas, the last carload of Valencia oranges, lettuce, egg plant, grapefruit and new green peas from California, and grapefruit, oranges and lemons from Jamaica.

Retailers are at present taking in their Christmas fruit stocks, consisting of nuts, crystallized and preserved ginger, figs, dates, raisins and candied fruits.

Wholesalers report a slight increase in the price of cabbage.

## DR. LAMSON IS NEW PRESIDENT

Succeeds Dr. T. M. McPherson as Head of North Pacific Surgical Association

Dr. Otis Lamson of Seattle was elected president of the North Pacific Surgical Association, which met in convention this forenoon in the Empress Hotel. Dr. Lamson succeeds Dr. Thomas M. McPherson, Victoria. Dr. Eugene Rockey, Portland, was elected vice-president. Dr. W. R. Livingston, Portland, was named secretary-treasurer.

The convention sessions opened at 10 o'clock this morning in the Princess Louise private dining-room of the hotel with Dr. McPherson in the chair. The presidential address was delivered by Dr. McPherson and a scientific paper on "Cerebro-Spinal-Rhinothorax" was given by Dr. W. A. Taylor, Esquimalt.

Dr. Frederick Brodie, Vancouver, and Dr. T. M. Joyce, Portland, contributed to the discussion.

Dr. J. Lyman, Walla Walla; Dr. H. Whitacre, Tacoma; Dr. A. H. Peacock, Seattle; Dr. C. Doland, Spokane, and Dr. F. M. Bryant, Victoria, will deliver papers at this afternoon's session. Dr. Bryant will speak on "Retrolentation Lipomata," dealing with fatty tumors at the back of the heart.

**McGILL SPECIALIST**  
Dr. Wilder Penfield of McGill University, who reached the city by this afternoon's boat from the mainland, will speak at the convention dinner this evening on "The Relationship of the Pituitary Gland and Hypothalamus to General Disorders."

Dr. Karl Martzloff, Portland; Dr. Brien T. King, Seattle; Dr. Lamson, Seattle; Dr. Richard O'Shea, Seattle, and Dr. Paul Gunby, Portland, will contribute papers at to-morrow morning's session. To-morrow afternoon Dr. Penfield, Dr. Richard Dillehunt, Portland; Dr. H. T. Buckner, Seattle, and Dr. Joyce, Portland, will be the speakers.

Dr. Wilder Graves Penfield, guest speaker at the convention, is professor of neuro-surgery at McGill University. He heads the splendidly-equipped neurological institute of the Royal Victoria Hospital at Montreal, and is a graduate of the Johns Hopkins Medical School.

## TOYS OR FOOD AS ADMISSION

Boy Scouts to Have Big Show at Capitol Theatre on Saturday, December 9

To start off the drive of the Boy Scouts to secure 10,000 toys for the poor children of Victoria and district a special show will be given at the Capitol Theatre on Saturday morning, December 9, commencing at 2:30 o'clock.

Ivan Ackery, manager of the Capitol Theatre, who is very anxious to see the Boy Scouts succeed in their splendid effort, has donated the theatre, and will provide a fine programme. In addition the projectionists and attendants at the theatre will donate their services.

Every person who attends the show will be admitted on presenting a toy or canned food. There will be no charge, but adults who wish to accompany their children must have to leave toys or canned food at the entrance as well as the youngsters.

"We want to see a great pile of toys and canned food at the Capitol on December 9," said W. O. Lythgoe, of the Boy Scouts this morning. "We are very grateful to Mr. Ackery for his help on this occasion, and we hope the public will be very generous in its response."

Mr. Ackery announces that the programme will include a Laurel and Hardy comedy, a feature by "Our Gang" and a special educational picture taken by the Canadian government. On the stage will be a special half-hour presentation by Mrs. Dorothy Wilson of the Russian Ballet School.

The Boy Scouts will take charge of the toys and the canned goods will be turned over to the Friendly Help Welfare for use in making up Christmas hampers.

## A. T. ABBEY WINS IN GARNISHEE CASE

Mr. Justice H. B. Robertson of the Supreme Court to-day handed down his judgment ruling that Lara H. Anderson, judgment creditor for \$377 against Frank Carlow, was not entitled to the \$125 commission paid by Sidney Coxworth on a real estate deal initiated by Mr. Carlow. The money, which has been paid into court, will go to A. T. Abbey, employer of Mr. Carlow as the deal was made by Mr. Abbey's firm, the City Brokerage, and Mr. Carlow as agent.

Forrest L. Shaw, counsel for Mr. Anderson, argued that Mr. Carlow's interest in the deal was wiped out as his license to operate as a real estate agent had expired at the time the deal was completed. Thomas Miller, counsel for Mr. Abbey, challenged this.

Witnesses were put in the box and examined by both sides.

"Abbey instructed Carlow to look after the business and during the time Carlow was looking after the business Carlow had a license," Mr. Justice Robertson said. "His connection with the matter ceased when he introduced Coxworth to Grubb and Company and thereafter he did nothing. Abbey only employed him in the matter while he was duly licensed."

The work he was doing was as agent for Abbey and there was nothing further for him to do after the introduction to Grubb and Company."

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## JUDGE HEARS SEVEN DOCTORS

Then He Dismisses Motor Crash Damage Suit Against Mrs. Maunsell

After Frank Higgins, K.C., defence counsel, had called to the witness stand Dr. E. H. Hildewood and Dr. H. R. Melson to refute the professional opinions given in court by five doctors called by H. A. Beckwith, in the Dallimore-Maunsell automobile damage suit, Mr. Justice Robertson gave judgment in favor of the defence.

In the case W. H. Dallimore, Metchoin, was suing Mrs. F. W. Maunsell, Oak Bay, for unstated damages arising out of a crash on the Saanich Highway between her private car and the truck driven by Mr. Dallimore.

The five doctors called by Mr. Beckwith as Mr. Dallimore's counsel, testified that Mr. Dallimore had been undergoing great suffering as a result of the injuries received in the accident, and that he was permanently damaged physically.

The two doctors brought into court by Mr. Higgins took the opposite view, and supported their attitude by X-ray results.

Mr. Justice Robertson said after hearing the opinions of the various doctors that he could not find Mr. Dallimore had received actual damages as a result of the accident. He said Mr. Dallimore had suffered previous injuries and there was no satisfactory proof that the injuries manifest were due to the crash with Mrs. Maunsell's car.

The judge ordered the case against Mrs. Maunsell dismissed, and the costs of the action to be paid by Mr. Dallimore.

## BOARD'S MOVE IS SUPPORTED

Real Estate Men Told Resolution on Provincial Financing Is Endorsed

The resolution of the Real Estate Board of Victoria to the Provincial Government dealing with the necessity for the creation of a Department of Municipal Affairs, the restoration of government grants, and lodging a protest against the government practice of incurring capital expenditures at the expense of the municipalities, was unanimously endorsed by the Real Estate Exchange of Vancouver, according to a report made at the board's luncheon in Spencer's dining-room to-day.

Copies of the resolution were also forwarded to several other organizations and individuals in Vancouver and Victoria, acknowledgments of which have been received. The Victoria Ratepayers' Association is expected to endorse the resolution at a meeting this evening.

A communication from Hon. A. Wells Gray, Minister of Lands, stated the resolution had been brought before the Union of British Columbia Municipalities and was receiving every consideration from that body, which intended to take it up with the government at the first meeting of the cabinet.

Mr. Wells Gray's personal thanks for the interest shown by the board and said he would do everything possible to keep the matter before the government.

The Court of Revision of the Saanich voters' list will sit in the municipal hall on December 11 at 10 o'clock in the morning. Reeve Crouch and Councillors Dennis, Hoare and H. D. Coton will comprise the court.

Included bananas, the last carload of Valencia oranges, lettuce, egg plant, grapefruit and new green peas from California, and grapefruit, oranges and lemons from Jamaica.

Retailers are at present taking in their Christmas fruit stocks, consisting of nuts, crystallized and preserved ginger, figs, dates, raisins and candied fruits.

Wholesalers report a slight increase in the price of cabbage.

## EARTHQUAKE IS ONE OF SERIES

Most Severe Disturbances Recorded Here Centred in Baffin Bay

Allotment of a definite position to the recent earthquake which shook the northernmost parts of Canada has been made by the United States Geodetic Survey, according to information received here by P. Hapine Denison, director of the Geological Observatory. The Survey bulletin places the epicentre of the disturbance at latitude 73 degrees north, and longitude 60 degrees west, or almost in the centre of Baffin Bay.

The quake, which took place on Tuesday, November 21, was the severest ever recorded here and is the latest disturbance in a series that have been occurring over the past three or four years. It was partially expected by scientists.

The first quake of the series took place several years ago in Newfoundland, where a disturbance had not been recorded since 1893. Then the earthquake in Quebec and another in the Laurentian range of mountains, another place where another quake had not been recorded in historic times.

The present quake is not on any known seismological fault and scientists are not inclined to central of the cause. One theory which has been given much credence, is that the tremors are due to a slight depression of the continent on the north-eastern coast.

The quake is unprecedented in the Baffin Bay region and its uniqueness is causing it to be studied closely by world-wide scientists.

The data was collected by the United States Geodetic Survey Department at Washington, D.C. This department has been keeping a record of seismic observations at all over the continent. They placed the centre of the earth quake at a distance of 114 miles from Victoria—same distance assigned by Mr. Denison.

## OVERNIGHTS FOR TANFORAN

First race—Mile and one-sixteenth: Too Much Talk 109, Blanket Bay 109, Ah Pet 109, Luvor 109, Dero Devil 114, Captain Gilbert 109, Bib No 109, Sir Dean 109.

Second race—Mile and one-sixteenth: Aye Ready 109, Red Mountain 114, Meteoric 108, Simon Legree 109, Architect 114, Sunny Corn 109, Comradeship 109, Ruscenens 114, Hindu King 109.

Third race—Mile and one-sixteenth: Marvins 106, Dark Galleon 105, Parous 1



# Varsity Athletes To Appear Here In Early Year Events

Wanderers intermediates—William Weight, Laver, Shepherd, Barnes, Latson, McConnan, Angus, Overton, Leckie, Swing, Nation, Shepherd, Linklater, Langman, and Gornal. Reserves: Grey and Gorman.

Scottish intermediates—A. Briggs, Holland, H. Anderson, Marshall, McLean, Stewart, Armour, George, Mc

Hunters are reminded that provincial game regulations prohibit shooting an hour after sundown. It is requested that a number of hunters be organized in each area so that the responsibility for the protection of the game can be shared.

**CITY WILL MEET**

Members of the Victoria City second division football team are asked to meet to-morrow at the Veterans of Foreign Wars hall at 1501 Victoria street for their league fixture.

**SLOAN UNCHANGED**

Los Angeles, Dec. 1.—The condition of Ted Sloan, famous jockey, critically ill, has not changed. Sloan was stricken from a liver disorder. Sloan announced yesterday as a hospital here, although attending nurse said the fifty-nine-year-old rider had not improved.







## WOMEN'S COLLEGES MUST COMPETE WITH LIFE, SAYS NOTED AUTHOR-EDUCATOR



Mary Lapsley, above, author of the much discussed book on life in a woman's college, "The Parable of the Virgin," is herself a graduate of Vassar College, the recipient of a year's scholarship abroad in which she studied at colleges in France, Belgium, England, and, on her return, a teacher for two years at a women's college in Maryland. She is intimately acquainted with at least five women's colleges.

By MARY LAPSELEY  
Women's colleges to-day need a sense of humor. They have changed their original purpose because in their history they were serious and sacred undertakings. To-day they compete with the mating instinct and Hollywood and they need a sense of protection. They should know that man is not built for thought alone. That everyone is likely to err, and that erring is not a great crime, provided it is not thoughtless erring. All college education needs a re-stating of its high purpose which should consist, it seems to me, in giving to students the best thought from all fields in which thought is possible. And this is not "best" in the moral sense, but only in the sense of thought worked out to the most careful methods.

To-day colleges seem inspired by the popular "mass production" theories, they strive to increase their enrollment and when their numbers are limited by their characters, they sell the idea of turning out a "well-rounded" individual.

### SCHOOL ISN'T ALL LEARNING

I do not think a well-rounded individual can be turned out a finished product at twenty. Nor can emotions be drained into a Home Economics course. Too many cases are available where the no-account boy who wouldn't finish high school and the girl who would get married her freshman year have turned up later with an immense fund of assorted information and a balanced point of view.

Co-education is not always the solution, provided a girl really wants education. It is a good method for the average, sometimes a good method for the exception. But I think there is a real place for women's colleges, where there are some people who like their thought, like their whisky straight, and thought does have a tendency to get mixed up with emotion at too many co-educational colleges.

### BUILD UP RESPONSIBILITY

What, then, must women's colleges do to be saved? I think they should build in the centre of a city. They should open their classes to all who are idle. They should have no dormitories with strange and complicated rules for entrance and exit. Girls need a sense of personal responsibility in life. Why

shouldn't they get it in college? Above all, women's colleges should stop playing kindergarten teacher to girls who already need the give and take of adult minds, and adult understanding. It is isolation from life that does harm, a belief in protection, a belief in the pat formula which can be voiced by those whose real business is thought.

A great sense of humor would give the needed sense of proportion. It would enable college authorities to view human actions humanely, and treat college students as persons with some sense of their own responsibility, not as mere infants.

I suspect that if women's colleges developed a sense of humor and a meliorated sense of perspective about students, there would be more girls to go to such colleges than there would be adults to endow them.

## HE KNEW HIMSELF FROM PICTURE

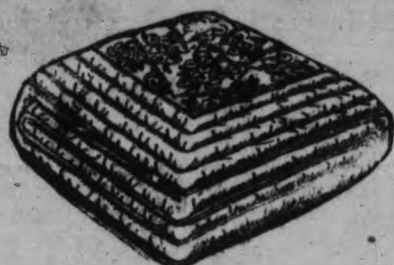
Pasadena, Calif., Dec. 1.—He knew agricultural statistics from alfalfa to pear maize, and could tell the condition of the wheat crop in every county in Kansas, how much cotton any state produced in recent years, and the answer to almost every other crop question, but as to his name, he knew nothing.

After spending several days at the police station as an amnesia victim, Stockton Harry Boon found himself when, in looking through a stack of old magazines, he ran across a picture showing him on the job as a statistician of the U.S. Department of Agriculture at Washington, D.C.

He then remembered he had a brother, Major Ben Boon of the U.S. Marines at San Diego, and yesterday was given into the Major's custody and placed under the care of a psychiatrist.

Monday he walked into the police station here. Asked his name, he inscribed "Poor Devil." He explained a truck driver had offered him a ride and given him a dollar, remarking, "You poor devil." He could remember nothing else about himself.

# Leading Values In Men's Winter Apparel



## Special Prices, Saturday, on BLANKETS AND BEDDING

White Pure Wool Blankets, with soft, fleecy finish. Size 72x90 inches. Special, a pair, at **\$7.95**  
Cotton-filled Comforters in attractive colorings. Each **\$1.98**  
Wool-filled Comforters, giving the utmost in warmth without weight. Panel effects, each **\$4.95**  
Pure Wool Blankets in soft pastel colorings. Rose, blue, gold, green and mauve, each, for **\$2.79**

Rayon Silk Bedspreads in attractive designs, finished with scalloped edges. Mauve, green, gold or ivory. Size 80x100 inches. Each **\$2.98**  
Pure Irish Linen Hemstitched Sheets. Size 80x100 inches. A pair **\$5.95**  
Rayon Silk Boudoir Cushions in all popular colors and assorted shapes. Each **75c**  
Silk and Cotton Mixture Tapestry Cushions in attractive colors and designs, each, **\$1.50**  
—Staples, Main Floor

## 50 FANCY CUSHIONS On Sale, Each, \$1.50

Fancy Cushions, covered with Celanese, in shades of gold, rose, green, green and blue, with decorative motif.  
—Draperies, Second Floor

## Bargains in The Hardware Department

20 Only, 6-cup Aluminum Tea-O-Laters, regular, each, \$1.50, for **49c**

Yacht or Deck Mops, regular, each, 35c, for **19c**

Adjustable Hacksaws, complete with blade **38c**

Square Galvanized Wash Tubs, each **\$1.33**

1-gallon Stone Crocks, without covers, each **20c**

2-gallon Stone Crocks, with covers **60c**

12-inch Electric Heaters, regular \$4.00, for **\$2.98**

10-inch Electric Heaters, at **\$2.95** and **\$2.50**  
—Hardware, Lower Main Floor

## Big Values in The Stationery Department

Good Companion Writing Pads—50 sheets of good writing paper with picture on cover. Each **15c**

Eaton Crane and Pike's Christmas Stationery. The color box and orange and black box. Each style of box contains one quire of paper with envelopes to match. A box **69c**

The Kenmore Parchment Compactum, contains 20 sheets of note paper and envelopes. In neat container, each, at **19c**

100 boxes of Stationery. Boxes in novelty designs. Stationery in white and colors—linen and vellum. Each **98c**

Oilgraph Pictures—Pictures of animals—Cut-out Calendars with large figures—Sepia Pictures of dogs' heads and cats. Each Calendar ready for mailing. Each **25c**  
—Stationery, Lower Main Floor

## Towel Sets Attractive Gifts—Only 49c

All ready for presentation—with glistening cellophane wrapper, tied with satin ribbon. Set includes one fine Turkish Towel and two Wash Cloths.  
—Staples, Main Floor

## Men's Winter OVERCOATS

A Choice of Two Great Spencer Values

**\$14.95 and \$22.50**

At **\$14.95**—Blue Melton and Chinchilla Coats, in light and medium shades; slip-on style. The new Guards model, double breasted and half-belters. All rich-looking, dressy Coats, suitable for young men or conservative dressers.

At **\$22.50**—Coats of genuine Harris tweeds and O'Brien's fleeces—and the newest shades in these popular fabrics. There are single-breasted and slip models, with set-in or Raglan sleeves. Beautifully tailored and finished. Stylish for the smart dressing business man.  
—Men's Clothing, Main Floor



## Children's Outdoor Suit Sets

Sizes 2 to 6 years. On Sale Saturday at

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Suede Suits—three pieces—pullover gaiters with dome fastenings and elastic at waist; jacket with two pockets and elastic band at waist and cuffs; and helmet. In blue, green, fawn or red!  
—Children's Wear, First Floor

## Girls' Rayon Silk Pyjamas \$1.95

Sizes 8 to 14 years. A Suit **\$1.95**  
A new shipment of Harvey Woods' heavy quality non-run Rayon Pyjamas. Tailored or frilly. Make lovely gifts. A suit **\$1.95**  
—Children's Wear, First Floor

## 200 Books, Each 25c

Books—7 1/2 x 10 inches, about 100 pages. Stories for the ages of 6 to 12 years. They have black and white illustrations.  
—Books, Lower Main Floor

## Men's Leather and Suede Windbreakers \$4.95 to \$10.50

Windbreakers in various styles, qualities and colors; lined or unlined. All sizes.

Men's Sports Windbreakers with two pockets and belt with buckle; flannel and suededex; all sizes, **\$2.75 to \$5.50**  
—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor



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Regular \$2.50 Values, for **\$1.95**

Sweaters with "V" neck and two pockets. Plain or rib stitch. Grey, brown, fawn and heather mixtures. All sizes **\$1.95**  
Silk and Wool and All-wool Sweaters in a choice assortment of colors and with two or four pockets. Sizes 36 to 44. Priced at **\$2.95 to \$8.50**  
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## 500 Pairs of Men's Gloves, a Pair \$1.25

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Kelowna, fine or coarse cut, 1/2 lb. **55c**  
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Gold Crop, fine or coarse cut, 1/2 lb. **80c**

### SPECIAL!

Spencer's Fine or Coarse Cut, 1/2 lb. tin **49c**

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Spencer's Cigarettes, tins of 50, for **50c**

## Candy Specials for the Week-end

Scotch Mints, lb. **20c**  
Licorice Comfits, lb. **25c**  
Special Christmas Mixture, lb. **20c**  
English Marzipan Mixture, lb. **35c**  
English Marzipan Mixture, in 3-lb. box **90c**

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Vests and Bloomer Sets, daintily lace-trimmed. A set **75c**

Nightgowns, Princess Slips and two-piece Pyjamas in striking two-color effects or dainty lace-trimmed fashions, at **95c**

### OUTSIDE PRINCESS SLIPS

Angel-skin Silk Slips with built-up shoulders; bias cut. Special, each **\$1.49**

### BATH ROBES

Women's Beacon Cloth Bath Robes with silk girdle and satin or silk cord binding. Each, **\$2.50**

### MILLINERY

All reduced! And what values! Velvet felt, and black satin Hats and Turbans—very smart. Each **89c**

### NEW-STYLE GIRDLES

A new type of Girdle with special bias-cut effects and back garters diagonally attached. Means real comfort! Wide panels of silk elastic in sides. An exceptional value at **\$1.49**

### WINTER COATS

Fur-trimmed Coats of good diagonal-weave wools; fully lined. Special at **\$13.75**  
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### WOMEN'S STYLE FOOTWEAR

Suedes, kid and calf leathers in clever patterns and stitching effects and combinations. Black, brown or grey. Pumps and Ties—Cuban or spike heels. A pair **\$2.95**

### WOMEN'S HOUSE SLIPPERS

Felt Juliets—leather sole Felt Slippers—black and colored Kid Slippers with leather soles and Cuban heels. Crepe and Mesh Boudoir Slippers, English camel-hair collar Slippers. A pair **\$1.45**

### MEN'S FINE BLACK CALF OXFORDS

Black calf leather Oxfords with Goodyear welts. On smart style lasts. Sizes 6 to 11. A pair **\$3.45**

### MEN'S LECKIE WORK BOOTS

Oil grain and box kip leathers, with Panco or leather soles. A pair **\$3.95**  
—Bargain Highway, Lower Main Floor

## For Men, Saturday, on the Bargain Highway

Windbreakers in coat style, with elastic waistband. Plain shades of green, fawn, red and blue. Sizes 36 to 44 **\$1.89**

All-wool Mackinaw Coats, Norfolk style, fully belted, in dark, serviceable shades. Sizes 36 to 44 **\$5.50**

Men's Combinations with rayon stripe. Medium weight, short or long sleeves, and ankle length. Sizes 34 to 44, a suit **\$1.19**

Heavy Fleece-lined Combinations with long sleeves and in ankle length. Sizes 38 to 44 **\$1.39**

Turnbull's natural shade, medium weight Combinations. Long sleeves and ankle length. Sizes 34 to 44 **\$1.50**

Heavy all-wool Cream Elastic Rib Combinations. Long sleeves and ankle length. Sizes 36 to 42 **\$1.89**

Men's Fur Felt Hats with snap or welted brim; grey or brown. Sizes 6 3/4 to 7 1/4. Each **\$1.50**

Tweed Caps in Donegals or fancy tweeds. Sizes for boys or men, 6 1/2 to 7 1/4. Each **95c**

Men's Ribbed Sweater Coats with collar and two pockets. Heather shades; sizes 36 to 42 **\$1.00**

Muleskin Work Mitts, lined and with knitted wrists. Sizes 10 to 11, a pair **35c**  
—Bargain Highway, Lower Main Floor

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## An Unusual Sale of Hosiery Commencing Saturday

Hosiery manufacturers, along with many other concerns, anticipated a larger demand for Hosiery throughout Canada than materialized this month—resulting in our acceptance of many tempting values from the mills, and many thousands of dozens have arrived this week, and go on sale Saturday.

### Pure Chiffon Silk Hose Special, Saturday, a Pair, 59c

Full-fashioned Hose of pure silk chiffon, with Slendo heels and cradle feet. Shades include gunmetal, taupe mist, greyline, natural beige, ocre beige and nugrey. Sizes 8½ to 10.

### Dull Chiffon Silk Hose Special, Saturday, a Pair, 79c

Full-fashioned Pure Silk Chiffon Hose, of a well-known reliable make. Very fine gauge silk, with reinforced heels and toes. In all new shades. Sizes 8½ to 10½.

### Heavy Service-weight Silk Hose Special, Saturday, a Pair, 89c

Extra heavy service-weight Silk Hose—substandards of a well-known reliable make, but with no defects to affect the wearing qualities or appearance. Silk to picot top. In a good selection of fashionable shades. Sizes 8½ to 10½.

### Dull Chiffon Silk Hose Special, Saturday, a Pair, 89c

Beautiful Chiffon Hose of a well-known reliable make, sold unbranded at this extremely low price! Full fashioned with cradle foot. All first quality, with a particularly dull finish almost like crepe. Shown in all the new shades. Sizes 8½ to 10½.

### Heavy Service-weight Silk Hose Regular \$1.95. Saturday, a Pair, 95c

Extra heavy service-weight Silk Hose of a well-known reliable make. Full fashioned, pure silk and with double soles, heels and toes. Shown in all the new shades. Sizes 8½ to 10½.

### Dull Chiffon Silk Hose Regular \$1.50. Saturday, a Pair, 95c

Pure Silk Dull Chiffon Hose, full fashioned, with reinforced toes, heels and soles. Shown in all the new fashionable shades. An ideal Hose for a Christmas gift. Sizes 8½ to 10½.

### GEORGETTE CREPE HOSE

Regular \$1.50. Saturday, a Pair, \$1.19

A very special price for such a "quality" Stocking as this Georgette Crepe Chiffon Hose. Full fashioned, very fine-gauge silk in a special high twist which gives flattering dullness and better wearing quality. An ideal Hose for a Christmas gift. In all popular shades. Sizes 8½ to 10½.

—Hosiery, Main Floor

### A Special Purchase!

A Feature Price for the Early Christmas Shopper

### Gift Lingerie \$1.79

Saturday

Fine quality Rayon Silk Nightgowns in dainty styles with quaint sleeve effects, and effectively trimmed with lace.

Pyjamas in one and two-piece styles; pastels or two-tone combinations.

Kimono—a remarkable value! Many different color effects.

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All superior quality rayon silk—in dainty Christmas gift boxes. One price \$1.79

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Good "buys" in new Felt Hats—with attractive bright touches or perky little veils. Black, scarlet, grey, blue and brown. Each \$1.95

—Millinery, First Floor

### Front-lace Corsets \$1.75

Corsets of strong pink coutil with elastic top, lightly boned and medium length; four hose supporters.

—Corsets, First Floor

### Deep Brassieres \$1.00

Made of fancy pink cotton with shaped bust section—made of strong silk with side hook, elastic shoulder strap and boned across front.

—Corsets, First Floor

### Hair Brushes and Military Brush Sets

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A fine selection of Hair Brushes and Sets have just arrived, all of special quality at very reasonable prices. Best grade bristle and black ebony or natural grain ebony backs are specially featured at a price range of \$4.50, \$3.70, \$3.50, \$3.25, \$2.75, \$2.50, \$1.50, \$1.00, Etc.

—Toiletries Section, Main Floor

### Special, Roast Turkey Lunch, 40c.

Saturday—11.30 to 2.30

—Dining-room, Third Floor

### Santa Claus

Will Be at Home to All the Boys and Girls in Toyland Saturday

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## December Sale of COATS

All Coats Reduced—Former Prices As High as \$65.00—On Sale at \$10.00 to \$39.75

Coats of diagonal weave and basket weave cloth, with fur collars and furled sleeves. Semi-fitted styles. Brown, navy, wine and black. Also Tweed Coats in swagger or belted styles. Sizes 14 to 48 ..... \$10.00

Coats of rough-finished materials. Trimmed with muskrat, coney and sealine. Handsome garments in brown, navy and black. Sizes 14 to 52. On sale for ..... \$16.75

Coats of rough-finish materials. Styles suitable for misses or matrons. Trimmed with sealine, French beaver, wolf, caracul, opossum and muskrat. Various shades. Sizes 14 to 44 ..... \$19.75

Fine Quality Coats in several smart styles. Shades of wine, navy, brown and black. These are trimmed with muskrat, French beaver, wolf, opossum and caracul. Sizes 14 to 44 ..... \$26.75

Distinctive Coats, luxuriously furled, with large collar or cape effects. Including wolf, French Beaver, muskrat, caracul, sable and squirrel. Sizes 14 to 42 ..... \$29.75

Superior Grade Coats of soft wool cloth. Elegantly trimmed with sable, wolf, sealine or squirrel. Green, wine, navy, brown and black. Sizes 14 to 42 ..... \$39.75

—Mantles, First Floor

## December Sale of Silks

38-inch All-silk Flat Crepe, of fine quality and finish. Black, white, lemon, lettuce, blue, rose, egg, brown, navy, grey and biscuit. Regular, a yard, \$1.79, for ..... 98c

38-inch Washable Satin, laundry well and of good texture. Black, white, eggshell and pink. Per yard ..... 79c

Figured Georgette, shown in several designs and colors. Regular, a yard, \$1.98, for ..... 88c

38-inch Faille, an ideal fabric for dresses. Shades of vintage, black and brown. Regular, a yard, \$1.79, for ..... \$1.29

36-inch Figured Silk, in neat patterns and tweed effects, on grounds of navy, brown, green and powder. Regular, a yard, \$1.98, for ..... \$1.33

Oddments of Flat Crepe, a good quality silk in rose, apricot, peach, rust, paddy and red. A yard, 69c

36-inch Corduroy Velvets, close cut. White, navy, lemon, mauve, eggshell, green, red, powder, brown, old rose, orange, pink and Chartreuse. Special, a yard ..... 79c

18-inch Silk Velvets. A superior grade Velvet. In a variety of shades. Regular, a yard, \$1.98, for ..... \$1.00

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## Wheat Backs Away In Lethargic Trading At Winnipeg To-day

Winnipeg, Dec. 1.—Wheat values again backed away in lethargic trading on the Winnipeg Grain Exchange to-day. Lack of export demand and ease at Liverpool had a softening effect on prices closed 3/4 to 1/2 cent lower.

Final quotations were at the day's bottom levels. November wheat closed at 39, May at 38, and July at 36 1/2.

Export business was at a minimum. Traders reported only a small movement of Canadian wheat and would not estimate a figure on it. Interest was at a lowebb.

Prices held fractional losses most of the day. Outside markets generally were easy. Liverpool quotations finished 3/4 to 1 1/2 lower. Buenos Aires was unchanged to more than 2 cents off, while Chicago had a similar trend to Winnipeg.

## To-day's Grain Markets

WINNIPEG					CHICAGO				
(By Jenks, Gwynne & Co.)					(By Jenks, Gwynne & Co.)				
Wheat—	P. C.	Open	High	Low	Wheat—	P. C.	Open	High	Low
December	39-1/2	39-1/2	39-1/2	39-1/2	December	39-1/2	39-1/2	39-1/2	39-1/2
May	38-1/2	38-1/2	38-1/2	38-1/2	May	38-1/2	38-1/2	38-1/2	38-1/2
July	36-1/2	36-1/2	36-1/2	36-1/2	July	36-1/2	36-1/2	36-1/2	36-1/2
Oats—					Oats—				
December	34-1/2	34-1/2	34-1/2	34-1/2	December	34-1/2	34-1/2	34-1/2	34-1/2
May	32-1/2	32-1/2	32-1/2	32-1/2	May	32-1/2	32-1/2	32-1/2	32-1/2
July	30-1/2	30-1/2	30-1/2	30-1/2	July	30-1/2	30-1/2	30-1/2	30-1/2
Rye—					Rye—				
December	43-1/2	43-1/2	43-1/2	43-1/2	December	43-1/2	43-1/2	43-1/2	43-1/2
May	41-1/2	41-1/2	41-1/2	41-1/2	May	41-1/2	41-1/2	41-1/2	41-1/2
July	39-1/2	39-1/2	39-1/2	39-1/2	July	39-1/2	39-1/2	39-1/2	39-1/2
Barley—					Barley—				
December	31-1/2	31-1/2	31-1/2	31-1/2	December	31-1/2	31-1/2	31-1/2	31-1/2
May	29-1/2	29-1/2	29-1/2	29-1/2	May	29-1/2	29-1/2	29-1/2	29-1/2
July	27-1/2	27-1/2	27-1/2	27-1/2	July	27-1/2	27-1/2	27-1/2	27-1/2
Flax—					Flax—				
December	136-1/2	136-1/2	136-1/2	136-1/2	December	136-1/2	136-1/2	136-1/2	136-1/2
May	134-1/2	134-1/2	134-1/2	134-1/2	May	134-1/2	134-1/2	134-1/2	134-1/2
July	132-1/2	132-1/2	132-1/2	132-1/2	July	132-1/2	132-1/2	132-1/2	132-1/2

## WORK PLANS IN U.S. ARE SCORED

### AI Smith Says Government Failing: "Sour Grapes," Says Secretary Ickes

New York, Dec. 1.—Alfred E. Smith yesterday said the United States public works administration had broken down and that the civil works programme had been set up to hide its failure. "Instead of acknowledging the failure of the public works administration," said the former Governor of New York state, "this crazy top-heavy structure, choked with red tape and bureaucracy, is being left as it is, and out of it is being created the civil works administration to raise relief wages and get more people to work during the winter."

Mr. Smith's attack was played in an orange is a grapefruit; half way between a public work and a relief work is a civil work. Up to now the federal establishment only recently scheduled for consolidation have been increased to include an A.A.A., an F.C.A., a P.W.A., an P.E.R.A., an N.R.A., a C.C.C., a T.V.A., H.O.A. and an R.F.C.—and now we have a C.W.A.

"It looks as though one of the absent-minded professors had played anagrams with the alphabet soup."

Mr. Smith's attack was made in an editorial in The New Outlook, the same issue of which contained his demand for "sound money" and a return to the gold standard, made public last week.

## SAYS LYNCHED MAN INNOCENT

Associated Press  
San Jose, Cal., Dec. 1.—Maurice Holmes, father of Jack Holmes, who was lynched here last Sunday for the confessed kidnapping-slavery of Brooke Hart, yesterday issued a statement asserting his son was "innocent of the kidnapping and slavery" and that the confession was "induced by police third degree methods."

"My son told me," Holmes' statement said, "that Sheriff William J. Engh threatened to take him back to San Jose from San Francisco and turn him over to the mob if he didn't confess."

Holmes asserted his son's only association with Thurmond was through the latter's efforts to purchase young Holmes' automobile.

"There wasn't a scrap of evidence against my boy save that furnished by the confession of Thurmond, whose family admit he was innocent," the elder Holmes continued. "My son told me only the day he was lynched that he was innocent and could account for every minute of his time on the night young Hart was kidnapped."

## FRUIT DUTIES ARE ARGUED

Ottawa, Dec. 1.—Producers and importers of fruit and vegetables crossed swords before the Tariff Board yesterday on an appeal for a definite seasonal tariff on these commodities.

To safeguard the present protection afforded by the tariff and dumping duties, the Canadian Horticultural Council asked that a definite seasonal rate be placed in the Customs Act, based on the present duty plus the "dump." The council told the board it wanted to protect fruit and vegetable growers in British Columbia, the Niagara district in Ontario, and Nova Scotia, who had increased their planted acreage and made certain investments under the protection now afforded, against lessening of this protection through any ruling suspending the "dumping" provisions.

Opposition was voiced by the Canadian Fruit and Vegetable Growers' Association to several features of the application.

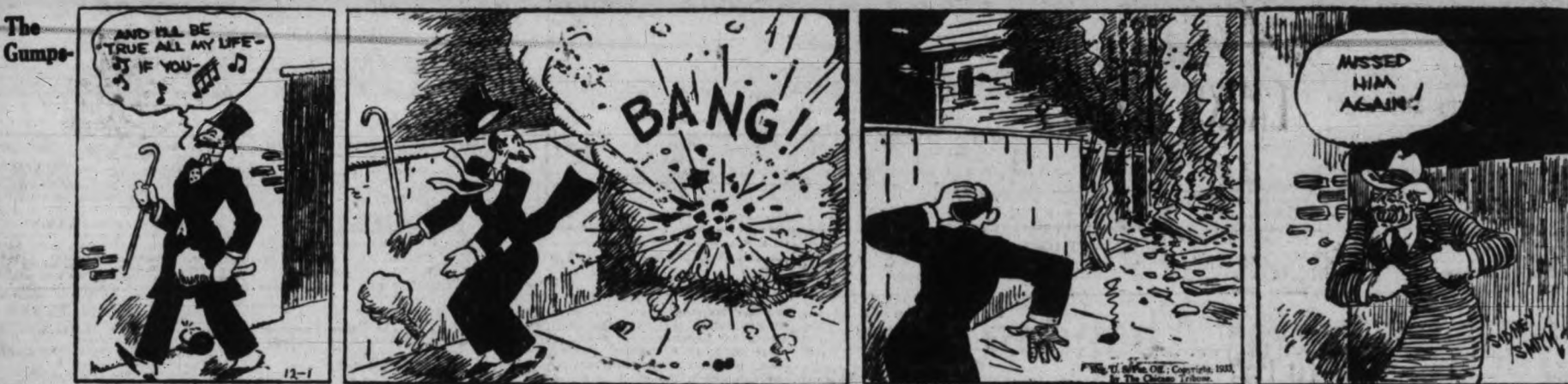
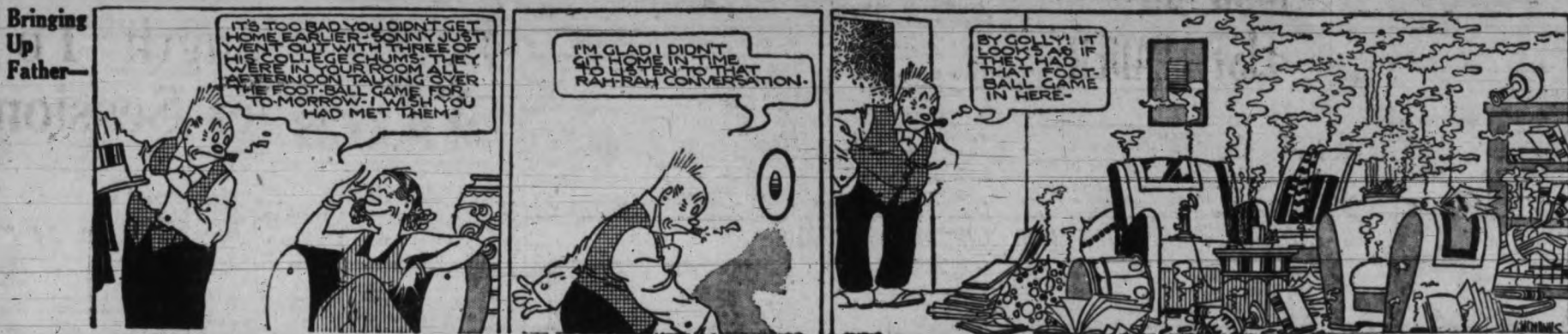
## CANADIAN STOCKS SETBACK IN Market Turns Quiet Traded On Wall St.

### VANCOUVER MINES, OILS

(By C. M. Oliver & Co. Ltd.)

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Big Slide	40
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## Dorothy Dix's Letter Box

Do Men Love Their Wives Better When They Frolic With Them? Asks Reader—  
Wife No. 2 Is Jealous of Wife No. 1

DEAR MISS DIX—What do you think about married people frolicking together? I always feel that my husband is sick or angry if he doesn't pull off a little "rough stuff" with the wife I am trying to cook breakfast. And I also feel that he is unfair to me unless every night when he comes home he pets me and babies me. His mother thinks I am so silly and tells me that I will lose my husband with such insane pranks. But we have been married two years and he still thinks I am just precious. Do men love their wives better when they frolic with them and when they make them be affectionate? JUST WONDERING.



Answer: Depends entirely upon the man. If a man is of a jovial type that delights in horseplay, undoubtedly he would enjoy a wife who liked to be mauled around like the rag doll in the slide show.

The main factor in keeping a husband's love is congeniality, and there is no danger of your husband growing tired of you as you like to do the things that he does and meet him on his own ground. So if he enjoys a frolic, play with him. If he gets any kick out of being a out-up, applaud his antics.

But, of course, you must realize that a man can't keep up that sort of buffoonery indefinitely. It is bound to go stale after a while, so be wise enough to let such schoolboy pranks die their natural death, and don't force your husband to simulate false gaiety when he gets sobered down by the cares of life. It is only when we are very, very young that we are gay and humorous before breakfast.

As for your demanding a certain amount of love-making every day, that is a different matter, and I should say that your procedure is exceedingly dangerous.

Personally, I can think of nothing that would make a husband feel so unlovable as to know that he was scheduled for a petting party that had to be pulled off on the stroke of the clock, whether he felt like it or not. I can imagine him dreading the ordeal, as he would going to the dentist's and having to screw up his courage to go through with it and breathing a sigh of thanksgiving when it was over.

A man may have the deepest and truest affection possible for his wife. His love for her may be so great that it is a part of life itself, but he isn't always in a sentimental mood. He doesn't always want to bill and coo and kiss.

When his mind is filled with business cares and worries, he doesn't want any fool woman asking him: "Oo! ducky is oo?" When he is wondering how to get the bank to extend his note, he feels more like swearing at his wife than swearing that if she should die he will never, never marry again. And when he comes home tired and nerve-worn, he doesn't want to be bothered over. He wants to be let alone.

There is a time and place for everything under the sun. Especially is there a time and place for love-making, and wise is the woman who awaits the appointed psychological hour when her husband wants to make love to her, instead of forcing him to make it one of his daily duties that he comes to loathe. One kiss with some real feeling in it is worth a peck of hit-or-miss pecks on the ear that a man bestows upon his wife because he is expected to kiss her.

DEAR MISS DIX—I married a widower who is good and kind to me and who professes to love me. But he is always reminding me that when he dies he wishes to be buried by the side of his first wife. Do you think I am just a SECOND FIDDLE?

Answer: You should worry about where your husband is buried! If you die before he does, it will not matter to you where he is buried; and, if he dies before you, you can bury him where you please.

Anyway, why does it matter? The thing that concerns you is not where your husband's dead body will lie, but how he treats you while he is still in the flesh. If he is good and kind and tender and affectionate to you, enjoy that and forget his funeral arrangements. Don't let something that may never happen in your lifetime spoil your happiness.

Of course, your husband is stupid beyond belief not to keep his plans for the disposal of his remains a secret between himself and his executor. Any man who knows so little of a woman's heart that he does not realize that a second wife is always tortured by jealousy of the first wife, is so dumb that he should not be allowed out without a keeper.

But many men are like that, and it is just lack of intuition, just lack of realization of how cruel they are, that makes them drag continually up their second wives upon the charms and pretensions of their first wives—charms and virtues which grow brighter as they fade. For many a man canonizes a wife after she is dead with whom he quarreled while she was alive.

Perhaps some flavor of the romance of early love always hovers around a man's first wife, but as a matter of fact he is generally fonder of his second wife and gets along better with her than he did the first. So wipe your eyes and call your sense of humor to your aid and recollect that if you should die and your husband would marry again he would doubtless demand of No. 3 that he be buried between you and No. 1.

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## Uncle Ray's Corner

Olden Legends of Flight

V. THE ROC AND THE FLYING CARPET

Beside the Tigris River, between Arabia and Persia, is Bagdad. This is a famous city in the modern Kingdom of Iraq (also spelled "Iraq").

In one story we read about Sinbad the Sailor who sailed a strange coast in the region of Madagascar, came upon a bird "so large that her wings darkened the sun." Wishing to take a ride, Sinbad tied himself to one of the bird's legs; and when she flew away, she took him along!

That bird, known as a "roc," never existed except in the fancy of those who told or heard the "Arabian Nights." Elsewhere in the tales, a "flying carpet" is described. Men could sit on this carpet and sail through the air to distant places.

Those were magic deeds of fancy; but in Bagdad to-day there is magic in the common life of the people. Aladdin's lamp is not there, but, by pressing buttons, people obtain electric light. Bagdad, moreover, has an airport; and "flying carpets" in the form of airplanes sail overhead. (For "Myths and Legends" section of your scrapbook.)

The leather-bound "Arabian Nights" contains a diagram showing sizes of the planets and their distance from the sun. It tells about Donatelli's comet and other wonders. If you want a copy, without charge, send a stamped envelope to me in care of this newspaper.

To-morrow: A Little Saturday Talk.

Uncle Ray

HOME FOR DUCKS

Vancouver, Dec. 1 (Canadian Press)—The blue uniforms and brass buttons of the Vancouver police department cover generous natures as well as arms of the law. Two vagrants picked up on Fraser Avenue by a pair of constables were comfortably ensconced in the home of one of the officers to-day instead of the city jail. The officer was waiting for some one to come and claim two mallard ducks.



